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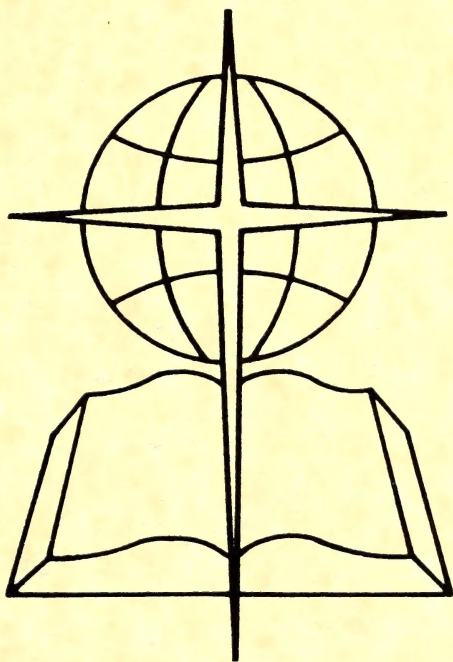
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Caldwell County
North Carolina

**One-hundred and Fourth
Annual Meeting**

of the

**CALDWELL
MISSIONARY BAPTIST
ASSOCIATION**

Theme: "Proclaiming and Demonstrating God's Kingdom"

FIRST DAY - THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1988

First Session, Lunch and Second Session
Central Baptist Church, Lenoir, NC
9:15 A.M.-3:00 P.M.

Third Session
Fellowship Baptist Church, Hudson, NC
7:00-9:00 P.M.

SECOND DAY - FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1988

Fourth Session and Lunch
Temple Hill Baptist Church, Granite Falls, NC
9:15 A.M.-1:00 P.M.

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ANNUAL MEETING LOCATIONS



Central Baptist Church



Fellowship Baptist Church



Temple Hill Baptist Church

CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS of the CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

CONSTITUTION

Preamble

This Constitution has been established to identify and preserve the fundamental truths and basic beliefs of this association.

Article I: Name

This body is known as the Caldwell Baptist Association.

Article II: Duration

On October 22, 1885, sixteen churches met at the Rocky Springs Baptist Church to organize the Caldwell Baptist Association. The duration of this association is perpetual.

Article III: Location

Section 1. The member churches of this association are located in and adjacent to Caldwell County, North Carolina.

Section 2. The Caldwell Baptist Center, located at 208 Nu-Way Circle, Northeast, in Lenoir, North Carolina 28645, is recognized as the official headquarters of this association.

Article IV: Purpose

The purpose of this association is to assist member churches, individually and corporately, to enlarge and strengthen God's kingdom at home and around the world through evangelism and missions; and to encourage them to cooperate fully in the programs and ministries of this association, the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Article V: Membership

Section 1. COMPOSITION: The membership of the association is composed of cooperating Southern Baptist Churches which have been approved for membership by the association.

Section 2. ADMISSION: When seeking admission into the association, a church must present to the Membership Committee a typed letter of request for admission at least six months prior to the annual meeting of the association.

- A. After receiving a request for admission into the association the Membership Committee is to meet with leaders of the church to discuss their desire for membership, to explain the associational requirements for admission, to consider any of their church approved documents and location of their meetings, and to deal with any other matters that would help the committee make a decision about their request.

- B. At the next annual meeting, the Membership Committee is to share the request with the association and to make one of the following recommendations:
1. That the church requesting admission be accepted under the watchcare of the association;
 2. That action on the request be delayed for further consideration at the next quarterly meeting of the association; or
 3. That the request for membership be denied.

The committee is to give clear reason for its recommendation concerning the status of watchcare. As soon as possible following the associational meeting, the committee is to communicate the action of the association with the church first in spoken words, and then by typed letter.

- C. Any church that is accepted under the watchcare of the association must remain in that status for at least one full year before being admitted into the membership of the association.
1. Watchcare is a time of bonding between the association and the church seeking admission. The association is to carefully observe the faith, practice and cooperation of the church. The church under watchcare is to receive the same opportunities extended to member churches; however, members of churches under watchcare may not vote nor hold a position of leadership in the association.
 2. During the watchcare period, the church is expected to have an active part in the support of the work of the association, the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.
 3. The Membership Committee is to meet, as needed, with leaders of the church, during the watchcare period to discuss their relationship with the association. Representatives of the committee are to visit during meetings of the church to observe the organization and practices of the church.
- D. Near the close of the watchcare period the committee is to evaluate the condition and cooperation of the church and to decide on one of the following recommendations to make to the association at the appropriate time concerning membership:
1. That the church requesting admission be accepted into full fellowship of the association;
 2. That action on the admission be delayed until the next quarterly meeting of the association; or
 3. That admission into the association be denied.

The committee is to give clear reason for its recommendation concerning membership. As soon as possible following the associational meeting, the committee is to communicate with the church the action of the association first in spoken words, and then by typed letter.

- E. A two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present is needed for the church to be accepted under watchcare or into full membership of the association.
- F. If a church is denied the status of watchcare or membership by the association, then after the lapse of one year it may submit another letter to the Membership Committee requesting admission.

Section 3. **CONFLICT:** If a member church is in conflict and requests help from the association, then the Membership Committee and/or the Director of Missions may meet with the church to counsel and work with them in an attempt to help resolve the problem(s).

Section 4. **COOPERATION:** Any member church which fails to cooperate with the association for two consecutive years is to be contacted by the Membership Committee to ascertain the wishes and desires of the church relative to its continuance in the association. After counsel with the church, the committee may choose to make a recommendation that the church be removed from the membership of the association. Such a recommendation would have to be made at a quarterly meeting of the association, and a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present would be needed for dismissal of the church from the association.

The committee is to give clear reason for its recommendation concerning action toward the member church. As soon as possible following the associational meeting, the committee is to send a letter to the church to communicate the action taken by the association.

A cooperating church is defined as one who sends an annual church letter to the associational clerk, is represented by duly elected messengers at quarterly associational meetings, contributes financially to the association, and is in general agreement with the purpose, basic beliefs, programs and ministries of the association.

The association recognizes that any affiliated church has the right to withdraw its fellowship from the association. It is requested that the report of such action by a church be sent to the Membership Committee in an official letter from the church. Upon receipt of the letter, the Membership Committee is to discuss the action with leaders of the church. At the next quarterly meeting of the association, the committee is to inform the messengers of the church action. The association is to take one of the following actions:

- A. Accept the action of the church and immediately remove the church. The church is to be notified of the action by a letter from the association.
- B. Delay acceptance of the church action until the next quarterly meeting and instruct the Membership Committee to ask the church to reconsider its action.

Section 5. **NOTIFICATION:** The association is to immediately inform the North Carolina Baptist State Convention when a church is accepted under watchcare or membership. In addition, the convention is to be informed if a church is dismissed from the association as a member.

Article VI: Authority

Section 1. This association is an autonomous body which is governed only by the duly elected messengers from the churches that compose it. Every messenger has the right to vote on all matters of business presented at any quarterly or called meeting

of the association provided that the messenger is present. Absentee voting is prohibited.

Section 2. This association may advise and assist member churches as requested, but may not infringe upon the rights of these churches. The association recognizes each church as a self-governing body that has voluntarily decided to be affiliated with the association.

Article VII: Relationships

Section 1. This association is composed of member churches that govern and support it.

Section 2. All internal groups created and empowered by the association are only accountable to the association.

Section 3. The association voluntarily cooperates with and supports the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Article VIII: Basic Beliefs

This association accepts the doctrinal statements of *The Baptist Faith and Message* as adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in 1963. A copy of *The Baptist Faith and Message* is available for study in the Media Library of the Caldwell Baptist Center.

Article IX: Amendments

This Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present at any quarterly meeting of the association, provided that the amendment was presented in written or typed form to the clerk and publicly stated to the messengers by the moderator or his designee at the preceeding quarterly meeting of the association. Typed copies of the amendment are to be furnished to the current messengers of the association for study at least two weeks prior to the vote on the amendment.

BYLAWS

Preamble

These Bylaws have been established to identify and preserve procedural matters of this association and to govern this body in an orderly manner.

Article I: Administrative Policies

Section 1. The associational staff is responsible for scheduling the use of the Baptist Center in Lenoir and the Caldwell Cottage at Ridgecrest.

Section 2. Money is to be contributed to the Gideons by the association for the purchase of memorial Bibles upon the death of a pastor, staff minister, associational leader, or the spouse of a pastor, staff minister or associational leader.

Section 3. The chairman of the Trustees Committee, the treasurer and the Director of Missions are authorized to have access to the association's safety deposit box located at the First Union National Bank on Main Street in Lenoir.

Article II: Associational Year

The Associational Year begins on October 1 and closes on September 30.

Article III: Finances

Section 1. The fiscal year of the Association begins on October 1 and closes on September 30.

Section 2. The Associational Budget for the upcoming year is to be formally presented by the Finance Committee for a vote by the messengers during the quarterly meeting of the association in July each year. In order to give the messengers adequate time to study the budget, the Finance Committee is to prepare and distribute copies of the budget to the messengers by the second Thursday of July each year. The budget becomes effective on October 1 annually. The Finance Committee is to maintain a budget format that corresponds with the organizational structure of the association.

Section 3. The treasurer is to present to the messengers a current financial report clearly showing all receipts and disbursements during each quarterly meeting of the association. During the quarterly meeting in October, an annual financial report is to be presented. The treasurer is to provide a monthly financial report in the associational newsletter including the contributions of each church in the association.

Section 4. The association maintains an ongoing "Ministers Support Fund" to temporarily assist associational pastors, staff ministers, retired ministers, other ministers and their immediate families during times of financial crises. The Finance Committee confidentially administrates the fund, giving an annual report as to the number of ministers assisted and the amount of money given. The money for this fund comes from the portion of the State Missions Offering that the association receives.

Section 5. Each associational church is requested to contribute at least 3% of all undesignated receipts to the association.

Section 6. The association is a non-profit organization.

Article IV: Logos

Section 1. The association is to continually have a personalized logo that visually displays the identity and current work of this body.

Section 2. The association accepts and uses the logo of the Southern Baptist Convention to help identify who we are.

Article V: Meetings

Section 1. The messengers of the association meet quarterly to receive information and reports and to transact the business of the association. The meetings are held in October (Fall Meeting), January (Winter Meeting), April (Spring Meeting), and July (Summer Meeting). The meetings in January, April and July are night meetings which are held on the fourth Thursday of each month. The meeting in October is considered the Annual Meeting of the association and is conducted on the fourth Thursday and Friday of October.

The first session of the Annual Meeting is held on Thursday night. The second session is conducted on Friday morning and the third (final) session is held on Friday afternoon. The annual meeting is to be held in one church on Thursday and in another church on Friday. The association is responsible for providing lunch for the messengers on Friday. The association has the option of charging for the meal on a cost recovery basis, or may pay for the meal out of the associational budget.

Section 2. The Associational Meetings Committee is fully responsible for preparing the program, selecting and contacting program participants, and for choosing and preparing the location for each meeting. The location for each quarterly meeting is to be presented one year in advance. The meetings are to be held in as many member churches as practically possible on a rotating basis.

Section 3. The Moderator or the Director of Missions can call the messengers together for special meetings to deal with extremely urgent matters that cannot wait until the next quarterly meeting. Before calling a special meeting to order, a notice of at least two weeks is to be given to the messengers with a clear explanation as to the purpose of the meeting. A quorum of fifty messengers must be present to conduct a special meeting.

Section 4. A quorum at each of the quarterly meetings of the association consists of those messengers who attend each meeting.

Section 5. *Robert's Rules of Order, Revised*, is the the authority for parliamentary rules of procedure for all business meetings of the association.

Section 6. Visitors attending a quarterly or called meeting of the association may, by approval of the body, participate in debate without the privilege to vote. Visitors are welcome to attend the meetings of the association.

Article VI: Organization and Leadership

Section 1. The association is organized into five levels of operation: Governing, Personnel, Administrative Services, Mission Performance Programs and Fellowship Groups.

A. GOVERNING

1. The ASSOCIATION-IN-SESSION consists of the duly elected messengers by member churches and seated by vote of the messengers in attendance at each quarterly or called meeting of the association.
2. Churches of fifty (50) members or less are entitled to five (5) messengers. One (1) additional messenger is allowed for each additional fifty (50) church members or major fraction thereof provided no church has more than ten (10) messengers.
3. Churches are to elect their messengers before October each year so that the messengers can serve the full associational year from October 1 through September 30. Messengers can serve consecutive years but must be elected annually by their church. Messengers are expected to attend all of the quarterly and called meetings of the association. The name, address, and telephone number of each messenger should be delivered by the church clerk to the associational clerk no later than October 7 each year to facilitate advance registration. This information can accompany the annual church letter.
4. The functions of the messengers are to receive current information and reports about the work of the association and groups with which it is related; transact the business of the association; and report on the meetings and activities of the association to the churches.
5. A person serving as a messenger from a church must be a member in good standing of that church.

B. PERSONNEL**1. Positions:**

- a. The *Director of Missions* is the general leader of the association serving as the director of directors of all programs, ministries, and services of the association. In addition, the Director of Missions leads the association to explore new mission frontiers, and serves as a minister to the churches and church leaders.

The Director of Missions is the chief executive officer of the association and is an ex-officio member of all associational committees, councils, and groups. The Director serves as director of the Associational Council.

Election to this office is upon recommendation of the Director of Missions Search Committee and by two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association. The time of service is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the Director of Missions or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- b. The *Administrative Assistant* serves primarily in a secretarial role. However, this individual assists the Director of Missions with daily administrative matters of the association. In addition, the person supervises the general operation of the Baptist Center by answering the telephone, greeting visitors and helping to meet their needs. The Administrative Assistant supervises office help along with the Director of Missions. This person also serves as the Associational Clerk and as secretary of the Associational Council.

The Administrative Assistant is enlisted and recommended to the association by the Personnel Committee. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment.

The time of service for the Administrative Assistant is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the employee or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- c. A *Summer Worker* is to be hired each summer for approximately ten weeks of work. This person, normally a student, helps with general office work and does special projects as assigned by the Director of Missions.

The summer worker is enlisted and recommended to the association by the Personnel Committee. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment.

- d. *Office Help* involves one or more persons serving as needed on an hourly pay basis. The individual(s) is/are to supply for the Administrative Assistant during leave times, such as vacation or sickness. Office help can be enlisted to assist the Administrative Assistant during peak work periods.

Office help is temporary and can be enlisted by the Administrative Assistant or the Director of Missions with the approval of the chairman

of the Personnel Committee. The Personnel Committee can enlist office help if requested by the chairman of the committee. Office help does not have to be presented to the association for approval.

- e. *Custodial Services* are provided by one or more persons in order to keep the associational properties in a clean and acceptable condition. The person(s) to provide custodial services is/are jointly recommended by the Personnel and Properties Committees to the association. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment. The Properties Committee supervises the custodial services personnel.

The Properties Committee may hire temporary custodial services personnel without the approval of the Personnel Committee or the association; however, the chairman of the Personnel Committee is to be informed of such action.

The time of service for the ongoing custodian(s) is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel and Properties Committees by the employee or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers upon a joint recommendation of the Personnel and Properties Committees.

2. General:

- a. Each paid employee is to be provided by the Personnel Committee with an up-to-date job description of his responsibilities.
- b. The Director of Missions is the general supervisor of all paid employees of the association. However, the Director is to work closely with the committees and leaders who share supervision.
- c. The Personnel Committee or any other committee cannot recommend the Director of Missions, the Administrative Assistant or the custodian to the association for termination of duties without proper notice and a clear explanation of such action given to the individual prior to the associational meeting at which time the recommendation for dismissal is to be made.

A closing financial arrangement is to be provided for an employee who has been dismissed by the association. The Personnel Committee is to determine a fair closing financial arrangement and to make it a part of the recommendation for dismissal to the association.

The Summer Worker, Office Help and other temporary employees may be dismissed with clear explanation by the Personnel Committee without approval by the association. No closing financial arrangement is necessary.

C. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

1. This level of operation is made up of the committees and officers of the association. Their purpose is to carry out assigned work in order to help the association operate smoothly. There are twelve committees and five officers.
2. Committees:

- a. The *Associational Meetings Committee* is responsible for planning and conducting the regular and called meetings of the association. The duties of this committee are to: (1) propose an order of business for each meeting of the association; (2) enlist all program personnel for the associational meetings; (3) publicize the order of business to the churches in advance of the meeting; (4) arrange for the facilities needed for each meeting; (5) arrange for and conduct proper registration of messengers and visitors at each meeting and to report registration as requested; and (6) recommend the meeting places to the messengers one year in advance of each meeting. The committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
- b. The *Communications Committee* is responsible for communicating the programs, ministries, resolutions and services of the association to the churches and to the general public. Its duties are to: (1) develop and implement an annual Associational Emphasis Week promotion plan; (2) assist, as needed, with office-produced communications, such as: *The Book of Reports* and the *Annual Minutes*; (3) receive, review and recommend all proposed resolutions or public statements; (4) initiate resolutions or statements as needed; (5) develop promotional brochures or other literature that identifies the work of the association, and (6) assist, as requested by the association or associational leaders, in promoting or reporting the work and actions of the association through the secular media. The Communications Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
- c. The *External Relations Committee* is responsible for establishing and maintaining proper relationships with groups outside the association. Its duties are to: (1) serve through individual representatives as a channel of communication between the association and the various agencies, boards, foundations, and other groups affiliated with the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention, and (2) communicate and work, as needed, with non-Baptist groups.

The *External Relations Committee* consists of three members, each elected for a three year term with the terms rotating, so that only one member is elected each year. Membership also includes the associational representatives of the American Bible Society, Annuity Board, Baptist Foundation, Christian Education, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, State Missions, N.C. Baptist Children's Homes, N.C. Baptist Hospital, N.C. Baptist Retirement Homes, and Religious Literature/Biblical Recorder. These representatives are elected for three-year terms and are eligible for reelection for another term at the end of three years.
- d. The *Finance Committee* assists the association in securing, administering and reporting its finances. Its duties are to: (1) develop and recommend an overall financial development plan; (2) develop and recommend an associational budget based on the plans of the association's various programs and ministries; (3) plan and direct the effort to seek giving commitments from the churches; (4) conduct studies and make recommendations concerning proposed expenditures

not included in the budget; (5) review expenditures periodically in terms of budget allocations and recommend budget adjustments if needed; (6) develop and recommend financial policies and procedures, including provisions for auditing; and (7) administer the associational “Minister’s Support Fund.”

The Finance Committee consists of six elected members, each elected for a three-year term with terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year. The Finance Committee chairman serves on the Associational Council.

- e. The *History Committee* is to gather, preserve, and interpret historical records of the association’s life and work. Its duties are to: (1) work with the associational clerk in gathering and preserving past associational records; (2) assist in the recording of present-day activities; (3) communicate and interpret the heritage of the association to associational leaders and member churches; (4) use historical facts and documents to challenge the association to accomplish its mission; (5) develop and recommend to the association policies and procedures regarding its historical materials; (6) encourage churches to gather and preserve their historical records and to write, communicate, and interpret their history. The History Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
- f. The *Membership Committee* is to assist the association in determining when churches are of like faith and order and can be properly accepted into the association according to the provisions made in the Constitution of the association. Also, this committee serves as a “church conflict” advisory body. In addition, this committee encourages active participation by inactive churches in the association. The duties are to: (1) recommend and implement approved guidelines as needed for receiving churches into the association and for dealing with troubled member or inactive churches in the association; (2) counsel with churches seeking admission into the association and with troubled or inactive member churches; (3) examine the credentials of churches seeking admission into the association (namely, their articles of faith or doctrinal positions, church covenant, polity—including their constitution and bylaws—and relationship to the denomination. The Membership Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
- g. The *Nominating Committee* leads in coordinating the selection of all association-elected leaders except paid personnel. Its duties are to: (1) select, interview, enlist, and recommend general associational officers, mission performance program directors, and committee chairmen and members; (2) coordinate the selection of workers for all the association’s organizations and committees; (3) approve workers before they are invited to work in program organizations; (4) distribute associational leadership according to priority needs; (5) assist associational program leaders in discovering and enlisting qualified persons to fill positions in their respective organizations; (6) present workers to the association; (7) nominate special committees as assigned by the association.

The Nominating Committee consists of six members, one from each of the six associational districts, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year. The committee should give careful consideration that all nominees are selected fairly from all six districts of the association, and from all pastors, staff members, men and women of the churches. Each nominee must be a member in good standing in an associational church.

LEADERSHIP SELECTION

- (1) All Mission Performance Program directors are to be formally presented by the Nominating Committee for vote by the messengers at the January meeting of the association. In order to give the messengers adequate time to consider the nominees for program directors, the Nominating Committee is to prepare a complete list of the names and positions and have copies distributed to the messengers by the second Thursday in January.

The individuals approved at the January meeting of the association immediately become the program directors-elect until October when their tenure of service officially begins. The program directors-elect are approved to plan and to train for the upcoming year's work. Each program director-elect, unless the individual is the current program director, has no authority over the current year's program. The program directors-elect would meet with the Associational Council only upon request; however, each program director-elect is expected to participate in the annual calendar planning meeting.

- (2) Each program director-elect is to immediately start selecting individuals to serve on the respective program councils for the upcoming year. A complete list of the individuals selected to serve is to be presented to the Nominating Committee by March 31, by each program director-elect.
- (3) All officers, committee members, and all previously unelected program council members are to be formally presented by the Nominating Committee for vote by the messengers at the April meeting of the association. In order to give the messengers adequate time to consider the nominees, the Nominating Committee is to prepare a complete list of the names and positions and have copies distributed to the messengers by the second Thursday of April.

The individuals approved at the April meeting of the association are the leaders "elect" until October 1 when their tenure of service officially begins. Each leader has the privilege to plan and to train as necessary for the upcoming year. The leaders "elect" have no authority over the current year's work, except in a position currently held.

- (4) If vacancies occur during the year the Nominating Committee is to enlist a person to fill each vacated position and to recom-

mend the person to the association. The committee is to work with program directors and committee chairmen as needed in filling each vacancy.

- h. The *Personnel Committee* is responsible for all paid employees of the association. Its duties are to: (1) recommend policies and procedures for the selection, supervision, and termination of associational personnel; (2) maintain up-to-date job descriptions in a manual for every paid position in the association; (3) recruit, interview, and recommend to the association new personnel, excluding the Director of Missions, in full cooperation with the appropriate supervisor; (4) develop and recommend salaries and benefits for employed personnel; (5) develop and recommend to the association policies and procedures regarding continuing education and development for the Director of Missions and other paid personnel. The Personnel Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
- i. The *Properties Committee* assists the association in the administration of all properties in Buncombe and Caldwell Counties. Its duties are to: (1) inspect and keep inventory of all associational properties; (2) make recommendations to the Personnel Committee regarding the employment, training, and supervision of maintenance personnel; (3) develop and initiate scheduled cleaning procedures; (4) develop and recommend a program of preventive maintenance; (5) develop and recommend policies and procedures for using facilities and equipment; (6) request and administer maintenance, furniture, and equipment budget; (7) develop and, with the trustees, recommend an adequate insurance plan for the properties. The Properties Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

This committee can spend up to \$500.00 on one item without approval of the association. Items above that amount must have associational approval.

- j. The *Search Committee* is designed to serve only as needed to secure a Director of Missions. The committee will consist of one pastor, one layman, one laywoman (all named by the Nominating Committee), plus the Moderator and Chairman of the Personnel Committee.
- k. The *Strategy Committee* assists the association in determining its strategic objectives and in staying on course in achieving them. Its duties are to: (1) monitor the needs and opportunities of the churches and provide updated information to the churches and to the associational programs annually; (2) recommend modifications in the organizational structure to help fulfill associational objectives; (3) review the association's constitution and bylaws and recommend modifications as needed; (4) maintain up-to-date job descriptions in a manual for every volunteer position in the association excluding paid workers; (5) lead the association to conduct strategy planning about every five years.

This committee works very closely with the Associational Council. The Strategy Committee Chairman is an active member of the

Associational Council. The Strategy Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

1. The *Trustees Committee* acts as the legal agent of the association. Its duties are to: (1) serve as legal representative of the association; (2) act as directed by the association in handling legal matters; (3) oversee the total insurance plan of the association; (4) hold in trust any property, money, endowment or other securities of the association; (5) exercise the power, under the instruction of the association, to hold, buy, sell, and convey property, both real and personal, and to sign all papers necessary for the purchase or conveyance. The Trustees Committee consists of six members each elected for a three-year term with terms rotating, so that only three members are elected each year.

3. Officers:
 - a. The *Moderator* presides over the quarterly and called meetings of the association. As the presiding officer, the Moderator opens the meetings punctually at the appointed time, enforces the rules, preserves the order, and exercises all the prerogatives of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parliamentary usage. The Moderator, may if desired, appoint a parliamentarian to serve at any or all meetings of the association during his term of office. The person is to be approved by the messengers-in-session.
 The Moderator is elected for a one-year term and is eligible for election to a second consecutive term. However, after serving for two consecutive years, the individual could not be considered for Moderator for a least one year. The Moderator is an ex-officio member of all committees, councils, and groups of the association.
 - b. It is the duty of the *Vice-Moderator* to discharge the duties of the Moderator in the absence or at the request of the Moderator. The Vice-Moderator is elected for a one-year term, and is eligible to a second consecutive term. However, after serving for two consecutive years, the individual could not be considered for Vice-Moderator for a least one year.
 - c. The *Clerk* records and keeps in permanent form all transactions of the association and makes this information available upon request. The Clerk's duties are to: (1) serve as recorder during the meetings of the association; (2) secure from the churches the annual Uniform Church Letter and process it according to recommended procedures; (3) edit the associational annual minutes; (4) work with the History Committee to preserve the official records of the association; (5) train and assist church clerks. The Administrative Assistant serves as the Clerk of the association.
 - d. The *Treasurer* receives all of the funds contributed to the association and disburses them in accordance with the budget of the association or for which the funds were contributed. The Treasurer's duties are to: (1) serve as an ex-officio member of the Finance Committee; (2) work with the Finance Committee to recommend and establish fiscal

policies; (3) maintain proper records of all monies received and disbursed; (4) provide printed quarterly and annual reports to the association of all receipts and disbursements. The Treasurer is elected annually and can succeed himself. The chairman of the Finance Committee is authorized to fulfill the duties of the treasurer in the event the treasurer is unable to do so.

- e. The *Director of Missions* is an officer of the association.

D. MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAMS

1. The work of the Mission Performance Programs of the association is carried out through councils. Each council member has definite responsibilities and the number of members on each council is determined by need. Council members are elected annually. The general director of each council serves as an ex-officio member of the Associational Council. Each council has meetings according to need. Each council consists of a program director and other leaders as needed to conduct the program.
2. Councils:
 - a. The *Brotherhood Council* assists churches in educating and involving men and boys in missions.
 - b. The *Christian Life Council* informs the churches of critical moral and social issues and leads in Christian action to meet those needs. The council seeks to develop good Christian citizenship and healthy human relations.
 - c. The *Church Training Council* assists the churches in starting, improving and expanding Christian discipleship through their Church Training programs.
 - d. The *Evangelism Council* assists churches in reaching people for Christ through evangelistic training and by bringing the churches together in corporate efforts of evangelism.
 - e. The *Family Ministry Council* assists churches in developing family ministry programs. Special emphasis is placed on ministry activities for preschoolers, children, youth, adults and students. Training opportunities are provided for general leaders of these age groups.
 - f. The *Media/Library Council* assists churches in the establishment, development and improvement of church media library services. In addition, the council is responsible for organizing and operating the associational Media Library in the Baptist Center.
 - g. The *Missions Development Council* leads the churches to discover opportunities for associational, state, home and foreign missions and to assist the churches in doing mission projects individually and corporately. The council works closely with the Brotherhood, Sunday School and W.M.U. Councils.
 - h. The *Music Ministry Council* assists churches through establishing, conducting, enlarging and improving their music ministries.
 - i. The *Pastoral Ministries Council* assists the churches in the development of pastoral ministries, deacon ministry, vocational guidance and church administrative services. In addition, the council ministers to the

- distinctive needs of pastors, deacons, church staff persons, church councils, church officers and committee members and church vocation volunteers. This council is responsible for interviewing candidates for ordination to the “Gospel Ministry” as requested by the churches.
- j. The *Prayer Council* is responsible for promoting prayer in the churches, providing opportunities for prayer among the churches, and offering conferences and seminars on prayer.
 - k. The *Recreation Council* assists churches in providing recreation methods, materials, services, and experiences and is available to other associational organizations wishing to use recreation in accomplishing their particular tasks.
 - l. The *Seminary Extension Council* promotes and provides practical and theological education to ministers and laypersons on basic and college levels.
 - m. The *Stewardship Council* assists the churches in the development of individual and corporate stewardship.
 - n. The *Sunday School Council* assists and challenges churches to improve and enlarge all areas of their Sunday School through planning, training, administration activities, consultation, program interpretation, and cooperative projects.
 - o. The *Woman’s Missionary Union Council* assists churches in promoting missions and in establishing, enlarging, and strengthening W.M.U. work.

E. FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

1. The purpose of the Fellowship Groups is to provide a setting for particular groups to meet together for fellowship, dialogue, encouragement and mutual care. Hopefully, as the individual groups meet together the fellowship of the whole association can be strengthened. The head leader of each fellowship group is an ex-officio member of the Associational Council. Each group determines its own leadership and activities.
2. Groups:
 - a. The *Church Secretaries’ Fellowship Group* includes all Caldwell Baptist church and denominational secretaries.
 - b. The *Ministers’ Conference Fellowship Group* includes all pastors, bivocational pastors, church staff ministers, other ministers and retired ministers in the association.
 - c. The *Ministers Wives’ Fellowship Group* includes all the wives of active, deceased, or retired ministers in the association.
 - d. The *Music Leaders’ Fellowship Group* includes all paid and volunteer ministers of music, directors of music, organists, pianists, and other music leadership in the churches and the association. This group cooperates with the Music Ministry Council of the association.
 - e. The *Retired Ministers’ Fellowship Group* includes all retired Southern Baptist ministers and their spouses living in the associational area.
 - f. The *Youth Leaders’ Fellowship Group* consists of all paid and volunteer ministers of youth, youth directors and other youth leaders in the

churches of the association. The Associational Youth Director of the Family Ministry Council serves as a member of this group.

Section 2. Associational Council

- A. The council consists of the general directors of all mission performance programs, the associational officers, the associational office staff, the heads of each fellowship group, and the chairmen of the Finance and Strategy Committees. Other committee chairmen can be asked to meet with the council as needed. The Director of Missions serves as the council director.
- B. The purpose of the council is to coordinate the overall program and calendar of the association.
- C. The council should meet at least once every other month for a minimum number of six meetings per year. The time and place for the meetings are to be set by the council.

Section 3. Every committee, council or fellowship group has the authority to appoint temporary sub-groups to carry out specific assignments as needed. The sub-group ceases to exist at the completion of the assignment. Permanent, but not temporary, sub-groups must be suggested to and approved by the Nominating Committee and then by the messengers of the association.

Section 4. Every associational committee and council is to choose a secretary to record the proceedings of each meeting.

Section 5. Associational leaders and representatives are responsible for presenting written and/or verbal reports to the association as requested.

Section 6. An up-to-date "Organizational Chart" is to be maintained to visibly reveal the overall associational operation.

Section 7. A "Job Descriptions Manual" is to be maintained by the Personnel and Strategy Committees to provide current and thorough descriptions for each paid and volunteer position in the association.

Section 8. Each ex-officio member serving on a council, committee or group is entitled to full voting rights.

Section 9. The General Board members of the Baptist State Convention from the Caldwell Association are to represent the association to the State Convention and vice-versa. The Board members are encouraged to report to the association about Board actions.

Article VII: Printed Material

Section 1. A monthly newsletter known as the "Caldwell Baptist Caller" is published to communicate information about the work of and matters of interest to the association.

Section 2. The *Annual Minutes* are prepared to serve as a record of information about the association.

Section 3. An "Associational Directory" is prepared annually and updated quarterly to provide information on who are associational leaders, church leaders, and other persons of interest to the association and how to contact them.

Section 4. A "Calendar of Activities" is prepared annually to inform the churches of upcoming events in or related to the association.

Section 5. Reports to the association and promotional pieces about the work of the association are printed as needed.

Section 6. Each member church is expected to prepare and deliver to the associational clerk the annual "Uniform Church Letter" by October 7 each year.

Article VIII: Amendments

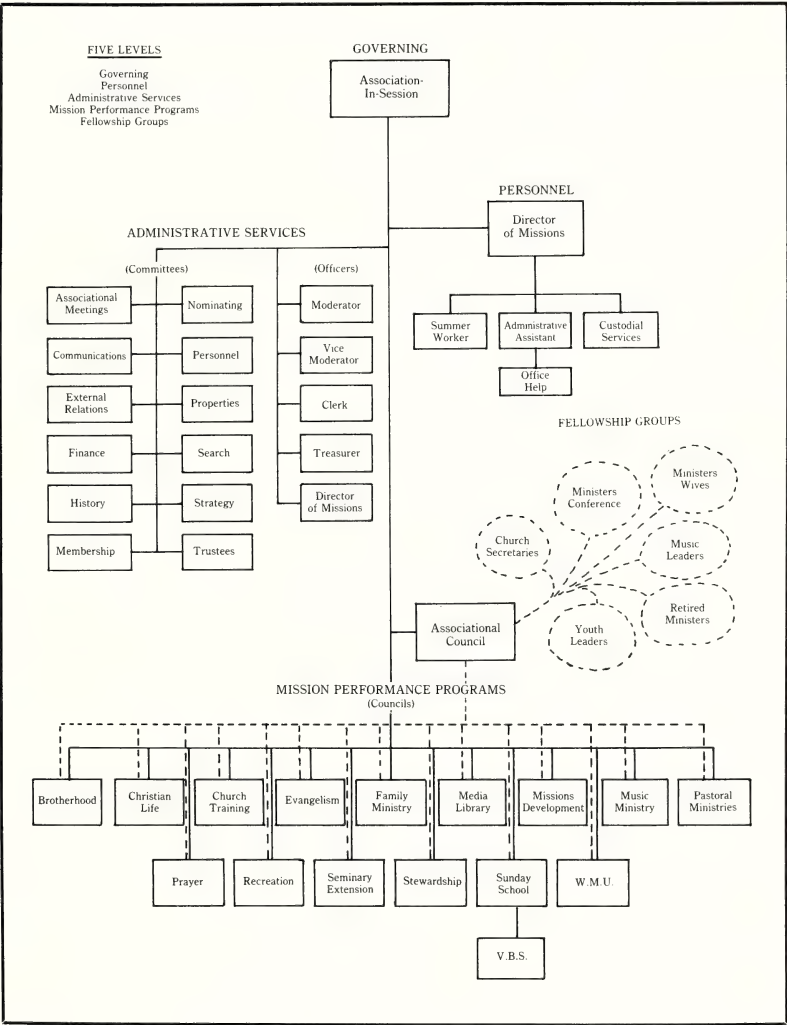
These Bylaws may be amended by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present at any quarterly meeting of the association provided that the amendment was presented in written or typed form to the clerk and publicly stated to the messengers by the moderator or his designee at the preceeding quarterly meeting of the association. Typed copies of the amendment are to be furnished to the current messengers of the association for study at least two weeks prior to a vote on the amendment.

Prepared by the
1987-88 Constitution and Bylaws Committee
Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association

Approved by the
Messengers of the 104th Annual Meeting
of the
Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association
September 23, 1988

Effective: October 1, 1988

Organizational Chart



Effective: October 1, 1988

**CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
ASSOCIATIONAL LEADERSHIP**

October 1, 1988 - September 30, 1989

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES: COMMITTEES

Associational Meetings Committee

Terry Barnes, Chairman (College Avenue Baptist Church)	
P.O. Box 592, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-6482)	1989
Mrs. Jayne McCall (Kings Creek Baptist Church)	
Route 1, Box 450-D, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-8712)	1989
Mrs. Sue Smith (Miller Hill Baptist Church)	
1214 Overlook Drive, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-4197)	1990
Dr. Paul Childers (Concord Baptist Church)	
5 Circle Drive, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1914)	1990
Rev. Steve Crouse (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)	
Route 3, Box 258, Hudson, NC 28638 (396-1241)	1991
Rev. Stuart White (FBC Whitnel)	
503 Connelly Springs Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-3240)	1991

Communications Committee

Sherry Davidson, Chairman (Meadowbrook Baptist Church)	
143 Clarks Chapel Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-2070)	1989
Mrs. Lena Braswell (FBC Hudson)	
Route 1, Box 66-A, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-8685)	1989
Mrs. Lynn Ingle (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church)	
Route 1, Box 212, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1201)	1990
Deanna Chester (Union Baptist Church)	
Route 2, Box 303, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-6567)	1990
Sara Moore (Clover Baptist Church)	
P.O. Box 737, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-7634)	1991
Vera Sullivan (FBC Lenoir)	
1018 Randolph Circle, S.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-3237)	1991

External Relations Committee

Henry Lathan, Chairman (Central Baptist Church)	
P.O. Box 326, Hudson, NC 28638 (unlisted)	1989
Bill Kincaid (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)	
Route 1, Box 344-A-1, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-6626)	1990
Rev. Don Rogers (FBC Lenoir)	
801 Armstrong Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-8428)	1991
Mrs. Ruth Greene (Baton Baptist Church) American Bible Society Representative	
Route 2, Box 272, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-9312)	1991
Rev. Frank Colburn (Lower Creek Baptist Church) Annuity Board Representative	
802 Pennell Street, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-8005)	1991
Elizabeth J. Campbell (FBC Lenoir) Baptist Foundation Representative	
516 Main Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-9050)	1991
Harold Early (Mountain Grove Baptist Church) Christian Education Representative	
Route 2, Box 10, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-9297)	1991

Stella Austin (Kings Creek) Foreign Missions Representative	
1052-6 Cedar Hills Court, S.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-7604)	1991
Ella Keller (FBC Granite Falls) Home Missions Representative	
41 Crestview Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-4330)	1991
Mrs. Joann Propst (FBC Rhodhiss) State Missions Representative	
63 Duke Power Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-3450)	1991
Mrs. Donna Lail (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church) N.C. Baptist Children's Homes Rep.	
Route 2, Box 380, Lenoir, NC 28645 (757-0700)	1991
Rev. Kenneth Little (College Avenue Baptist Church) N.C. Baptist Hospital Rep.	
P.O. Box 592, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-6482)	1991
Rev. A.J. Singley (Mountain View Baptist Church) N.C. Baptist Retirement Homes Rep.	
268-D North Fairview Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-8595)	1991
Carole Church (Clover Baptist Church) Religious Literature/Biblical Recorder Rep.	
39 Forest Avenue, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-2417)	1991

Finance Committee

Mrs. Marlene Barnes (Baton Baptist Church)	
Route 2, Box 448-B, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-9270)	1989
Rev. Frank Denning (Friendship Baptist Church)	
Route 2, Box 413-D, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-5121)	1989
Rev. Don Ingle, Chairman (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church)	
Route 1, Box 212, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-7300)	1990
Kenneth Storie (Yadkin Baptist Church)	
Route 7, Box 376, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-6382)	1990
Floyd Annas (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)	
P.O. Drawer 620, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1970)	1991
Fred King (Bethany Baptist Church)	
Route 8, Box 212, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-2945)	1991

History Committee

Mrs. Elizabeth Moore, Chairman (FBC Granite Falls)	
881 Moore Acres Dr., Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1570)	1989
Mrs. Doris Hawkins (Kings Creek Baptist Church)	
Route 1, Box 524, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4864)	1989
Marilyn Gragg (Globe Baptist Church)	
Route 8, Box 331, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-5913)	1990
Mrs. Nellie Mullinax (Union Grove Baptist Church)	
Route 2, Box 354-A-3, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-7274)	1990
John O. Hawkins (Piney Grove Baptist Church)	
Route 5, Box 430, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-5806)	1991
Steve McCorkle (FBC Lenoir)	
P.O. Box 751, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4335)	1991

Membership Committee

Charles Suddreth (Yadkin Baptist Church)	
Route 5, Box 760, Lenoir, NC 28645	1989
Dr. Howard Hawkins (Lakeview Baptist Church)	
2618 Hogan Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645	1989
Mrs. Winifred Thurkill (FBC Hudson)	
544 Circle Drive, C-22-6, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-6294)	1990

Dr. Robert Evans, Jr., Chairman (FBC Granite Falls)	
47 Crestview Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1922)	1990
Rev. Leland Green (Bethany Baptist Church)	
602 Swanson Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-3782)	1991
Ben Sullivan (FBC Lenoir)	
1018 Randolph Circle, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-3227)	1991

Nominating Committee

Rev. Paul White (Mulvale Baptist Church) District I	
Route 10, Box 409, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7714)	1989
Rev. Sherrill German (Yadkin Baptist Church) District II	
P.O. Box 254, Patterson, NC 28661 (754-6000)	1989
Donna Curtis (Grandin Baptist Church) District III	
501 Connelly Springs Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-3240)	1990
Carroll Hedrick (Hartland Baptist Church) District IV	
Route 6, Box 388, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-2656)	1990
Lynn Hawkins, Chairman (FBC Hudson) District V	
369 Birch Circle Drive, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-7661)	1991
Sheilia Fox (Mt. Zion Baptist Church) District VI	
Route 2, Box 466-K, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-4942)	1991

Personnel Committee

Rev. Joel Sellers, Chairman (Lower Creek Baptist Church)	
633 Lower Creek Drive, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-2315)	1989
Ronald Beane (Mountain Grove Baptist Church)	
P.O. Box 548, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-9609)	1989
Conley Starnes (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church)	
709 Dudley Shoals Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-3491)	1990
Charles W. Johnson, Jr. (FBC Lenoir)	
305 Woodsway Street, N.W. (754-9097)	1990
Clarence Prestwood (Miller Hill Baptist Church)	
1421 Overlook Drive, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-6140)	1991
Brooks Barber (Baton Baptist Church)	
Route 2, Box 410-B, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-2154)	1991

Properties Committee

Dennis Farr (Friendship Baptist Church)	
Route 2, Box 395, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-3090)	1989
James Winkler (Piney Grove Baptist Church)	
Route 5, Box 268, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-1440)	1989
Dare Teague (Kings Creek Baptist Church)	
Route 1, Box 210, Boomer, NC 28606 (758-1397)	1990
Lewis Miller, Chairman (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)	
Route 2, 309 Magnolia Lane, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-2667)	1990
Nora McGee (Meadowbrook Baptist Church)	
306 Vaiden Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-6163)	1991
Rev. Herbert McCoy (Setzers Creek Baptist Church)	
Route 10, Box 752, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4856)	1991

Search Committee

(Nominated only as needed)

Strategy Committee

Hill Lackey (Kings Creek Baptist Church)	
Route 1, Box 568, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-1726)	1989
Annie High (FBC Granite Falls)	
P.O. Box 525, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-3000)	1989
Mrs. Linda Story (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church)	
35 Countryside Drive, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-7221)	1990
Joe Icard (Poovey's Chapel Baptist Church)	
171 Cahah's Mountain Road, C-31-5, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-4981)	1990
Reggie Bryant (Lower Creek Baptist Church)	
505 Rockwood Court, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-3872)	1991
Sidney (Pete) Underdown, Chairman (FBC Lenoir)	
P.O. Box 614, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-8194)	1991

Trustees Committee

Roger Dula (Piney Grove Baptist Church)	
Route 5, Box 242, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-8007)	1989
Lee Huffman (FBC Granite Falls)	
P.O. Box 87, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-3452)	1989
Jamie Parsons (Lower Creek Baptist Church)	
Plantation Drive, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7192)	1990
Rev. John DeMauro, Chairman (Nelsons Chapel Baptist Church)	
Route 8, Box A-214, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-7988)	1990
Charles Beck (Central Baptist Church)	
1102 Applegate Court, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-2721)	1991
Hugh Wilson (FBC Lenoir)	
P.O. Box 638, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4002)	1991

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES: OFFICERS

Director of Missions: Rev. R. Dale Fisher (Mt. Zion)	
208 Nu-Way Circle, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4081)	
Moderator: Dr. Billy Rivers (FBC Hudson)	
109 Optimist Avenue, CB-59-2, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-4297)	
Vice-Moderator: Rev. Glenn Walker (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)	
Route 3, Box 345, Hudson, NC 28638 (396-1241)	
Clerk: Ann Hatton (Kings Creek Baptist Church)	
1902 Hickory Blvd., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4081)	
Treasurer: Jack Spainhour (FBC Lenoir)	
P.O. Box 177, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-5350)	

The Clerk, who is the Administrative Assistant (as of October 1, 1988) and the Director of Missions serve as officers but are not elected annually.

FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

Ministers' Conference

President: Rev. Herbert McCoy (Setzer's Creek Baptist Church)	
Route 10, Box 752, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4856)	
Vice-President: Rev. Paul White (Mulvale Baptist Church)	
Route 10, Box 409, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7714)	

Secretary/Treasurer: Rev. James Hamby (Fellowship Baptist Church)

468 Fir Street, S.W., C-44-05, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-2248)

Music Leader: Rev. Sherrill German (Yadkin Baptist Church)

P.O. Box 254, Patterson, NC 28661 (754-6000)

Program Leader: Rev. Gilbert Larew (Piney Grove Baptist Church)

229 Piney Grove Circle, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-5391)

Ministers and Wives Quarterly Fellowship

The officers of the Ministers' Conference and the Ministers Wives' Fellowship Group are responsible for these quarterly meetings.

Other Fellowship Groups

Church Secretaries

Music Leaders

Youth Leaders

Ministers Wives

Retired Ministers

Leadership for these groups will be selected as they are organized during the 1988-89 associational year.

MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAMS

Associational Council

Director of Missions: Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Chairman (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)

208 Nu-Way Circle, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4081/754-2884)

Moderator: Dr. Billy Rivers (FBC Hudson)

109 Optimist Avenue, CB-59-2, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-4297)

Vice-Moderator: Rev. Glenn Walker (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)

Route 3, Box 345, Hudson, NC 28638 (396-1241)

Clerk: Ann Hatton (Kings Creek Baptist Church)

1902 Hickory Blvd., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4081/754-2884)

Treasurer: Jack Spainhour (FBC Lenoir)

P.O. Box 177, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-5350)

Brotherhood Director: Larry Helderman (FBC Hudson)

Route 2, Box 514-A, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-7181)

Christian Life Director: Rev. Glenn Walker (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)

Route 3, Box 345, Hudson, NC 28638 (396-1241)

Church Training Director: Rev. Jack Sprinkle (Clarks Chapel Baptist Church)

345 Clarks Chapel Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-7312)

Evangelism Director: Dr. Clifton Black (Mountain Grove Baptist Church)

Route 2, Box 263, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-9557)

Family Ministry Director: Rev. Michael Isaacs (FBC Hudson)

106 Peachtree Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-4297)

Media Library Director: Mrs. Bobbi Watson (Miller Hill Baptist Church)

112 Tut Hill Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-8661)

Missions Development Director: Mrs. Joann Propst (FBC Rhodhiss)

63 Duke Power Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-3450)

Music Ministry Director: Brooks Walker (North Catawba Baptist Church)

Route 3, Box 3307, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-9253)

Pastoral Ministries Director: Dr. Dale Larew (Crest View Baptist Church)

Route 2, Box 211-A2, Hudson, NC 28638 (396-1359)

Prayer Director: Mrs. Delores Leftwich (Lower Creek Baptist Church)

P.O. Box 1255, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7558)

Recreation Director: Joe Gibbons (FBC Lenoir)
407 Norwood Street, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-3208)
Seminary Extension Director: James Coffey (Lower Creek Baptist Church)
Route 10, Box 305, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4375)
Stewardship Director: Bruce Kirby (Lower Creek Baptist Church)
342 Eastover Circle, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-4618)
Sunday School Director: Rev. Don Ingle (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church)
Route 1, Box 212, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-7300)
W.M.U. Director: Mrs. Mary Suddreth (Clover Baptist Church)
449 Lacy Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-5819)
Finance Committee Chairman: Rev. Don Ingle (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church)
Route 1, Box 212, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-7300)
Strategy Committee Chairman: Pete Underdown (FBC Lenoir)
P.O. Box 614, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-8194)
Ministers' Conference President: Rev. Herbert McCoy (Setzer's Creek Church)
Route 10, Box 752, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4856)

Brotherhood Council

Director: Larry Helderman (FBC Hudson)
Route 2, Box 514-A, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-7181)
Baptist Men's President: Steve Branch (Lower Creek Baptist Church)
712 Glenview Street, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7095)
R.A. Director: Larry Prestwood (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)
Route 4, Box 266-B, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1511)
Associate R.A. Director: Carroll Hedrick (Hartland Baptist Church)
Route 6, Box 388, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-2656)

Christian Life Council

Director: Rev. Glenn Walker (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)
Route 3, Box 345, Hudson, NC (396-1241)
Christian Citizenship Director: Bill Kincaid (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)
Route 1, Box 344-A-1, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-6626)
Social Issues Director: Mrs. Laura Waters (Kings Creek Baptist Church)
Route 1, Box 437-A, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4359)
Moral Concerns Director: Rev. Roger Mercer (Poovey's Grove Baptist Church)
Route 3, Box 159, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-3745)
Human Relations Director: Mrs. Monteen German (Yadkin Baptist Church)
P.O. Box 254, Patterson, NC 28661 (754-2653)

Church Training Council

Director: Rev. Jack Sprinkle (Clarks Chapel Baptist Church)
345 Clarks Chapel Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-8160)
New Member/Equipping Center Director: Rev. Paul White (Mulvale Baptist Church)
Route 10, Box 409, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7714)
Associational Church Contact Person: James Coffey (Lower Creek Baptist Church)
Route 10, Box 305, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4375)
Church Study Course Director: J.D. Bolick (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church)
Route 1, Box 247, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1829)
Adult Director: Tom Barefoot (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)
Route 2, Box 408-H, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-5597)

Youth Director: Rev. Steve Crouse (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)

Route 3, Box 258, Hudson, NC 28638 (396-1241)

Children's Director: Mrs. Mina Pritchard (FBC Whitnel)

Route 1, Box 561-D, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4969)

Preschool Director: Mrs. Bobbi Watson (Miller Hill Baptist Church)

112 Tut Hill Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-8661)

Secretary: Joyce Bumgarner (Clarks Chapel Baptist Church)

P.O. Box 5305, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-6659)

Evangelism Council

Director: Dr. Clifton Black (Mountain Grove Baptist Church)

Route 2, Box 263, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-9557)

Personal Evangelism Director: Rev. Allen Voss, Jr. (Baton Baptist Church)

Route 2, Box 448-B, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-2538)

Mass Evangelism Director: Dr. Paul Childers (Concord Baptist Church)

5 Circle Drive, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1914)

Interfaith Witness Director: Rev. Frank Denning (Friendship Baptist Church)

Route 2, Box 413-D, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-5121)

Family Ministry Council

Director: Rev. Michael Isaacs (FBC Hudson)

106 Peachtree Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-4297)

Preschool Ministry Director: Mrs. Jo Suttles (Fellowship Baptist Church)

163 Cajahs Mountain Rd., C-31-3 (728-9707)

Children's Ministry Director: Mrs. Joan P. Crouse (Meadowbrook Baptist Church)

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	Route 3, Box 860, Hudson, NC 28638
Nelsons Chapel	Ernest Greer
	410 High Circle, Lenoir, NC 28645

RETIRED ORDAINED MINISTERS

Baton	Rev. Howard Barnes
	Route 2, Box 448-B, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Central	Rev. J.H. Crisp
	1037 Connelly Spgs. Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Clarks Chapel	Rev. Paul Wilson
	325 Clarks Chapel Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
	Rev. McLendon H. Jamison
	Route 11, Box 410-J, Morganton, NC 28655
College Avenue.....	Rev. Willard Jenkins
	Route 1, Box 225, Hudson, NC 28638
Crest View	Rev. Bernard Tuttle
	112 Wayside Circle, Lenoir, NC 28645
	Dr. Dale Larew
	Route 2, Box 211-A2, Hudson, NC 28638
Dry Ponds	Rev. Paul Hopkins
	c/o Camelot Resthome #2, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Grandview Park	Rev. Sam Silver
	Route 6, Box 276, Lenoir, NC 28645
Granite Falls First	Rev. Grant Miller
	P.O. Box 154, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Green Valley	Rev. John Ward
	Star Route, Box 38, Collettsville, NC 28611
Hartland	Rev. C.R. McFelea
	Gamewell, Lenoir, NC 28645
Kings Creek	Rev. L. Ray Davis
	Route 1, Box 451, Lenoir, NC 28645
Lenoir First	Rev. J.E. Ledbetter
	1018 Ashe Avenue, N.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
Lower Creek	Rev. Frank Colburn
	801 Pennell Street, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645
Meadowbrook	Rev. Clifton Tuttle
	124 Wayside Circle, N.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
North Catawba	W. Bennon Vaughn
	Route 3, Lenoir, NC 28645
Oak Grove	Rev. J.W. Myers
	Route 3, Box 350, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Piney Grove	Rev. Walter Dula
	Route 5, Box 218, Lenoir, NC 28645
Whitnel First	Rev. R.B. Burnette
	168 Walt Arney Road, Lenoir, NC 28645

**ORDAINED MINISTERS BUT NOT ACTIVE PASTORS
BELONGING TO OUR CHURCHES**

Cajahs Mountain	Rev. Harold Younce
	1007 Pennton Avenue, Lenoir, NC 28645

Calvary	Rev. Jim Price P.O. Box 5611, Lenoir, NC 28645 Rev. Vance Triplett Route 13, Box 582-A, Lenoir, NC 28645
Clarks Chapel	Rev. Harold Beane P.O. Box 261, Hudson, NC 28638
Clearview	Rev. William Quinn Route 2, Box 682, Lenoir, NC 28645
Concord	Rev. Don Abernathy P.O. Box 1121, Icard, NC 28666
Dudley Shoals	Rev. Gordon Pope P.O. Box 689, Granite Falls, NC 28630 Rev. Ted Starnes Route 6, Box 1332, Hickory, NC 28601
Fellowship	Rev. Basil Carswell 557 Circle Drive, C-21-5, Hudson, NC 28638
Granite Falls First	Rev. Audley Frazier 2 Providence Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Green Valley	Rev. Tommy Coffey Star Route, Box 79, Lenoir, NC 28645
Harris Chapel	Rev. Jim Privette 127 Pleasant Hill Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Hartland	Rev. T.R. Clark, Jr. Route 7, Box 480-C, Lenoir, NC 28645
Lakeview	Rev. Robert Brown 202 Floral Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 Rev. Grady Matheson 257 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Lenoir First	Rev. Fred Barnes 101 Piccadilly Lane, Lenoir, NC 28645
Livingston Memorial	Rev. Jerry Smith Route 1, Box 510-B, Lenoir, NC 28645
Meadowbrook	Rev. Don Loss P.O. Box 732, Lenoir, NC 28645
Mulvale	Rev. Gene S. Clarke 5506 Beacon Hills Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Poovey's Chapel	Rev. Dale Matheson P.O. Box 2580, Lenoir, NC 28645
Setzer's Creek	Rev. Jeff Ray Box 61, Collettsville, NC 28611
West Lenoir	Rev. Cecil Gragg 123 Edgebrook, Lenoir, NC 28645 Rev. Leon Johnson
Yadkin	Rev. Gary James 103 Tranquil Hills, Lenoir, NC 28645

CHAIRMAN OF STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEES IN LOCAL CHURCHES LISTED ON LETTER

Center Grove	Wayne Bumgardner Route 1, Box 488-A, Hudson, NC 28638
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Clarks Chapel	J.B. Angley 104 Kaylor Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Clover	C.L. Miller 64 Duke Power Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Dudley Shoals	Herman Kizer Route 1, Box 195, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Granite Falls First	Lee Huffman P.O. Box 87, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Harris Chapel	Jeff Annas Route 2, Box 379, Hudson, NC 28638
Hudson First	Douglas Annas 109 Dove Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
Lakeview	Carl Oliver 1246 Skyview Place, Lenoir, NC 28645
Lenoir First	Jack Spainhour P.O. Box 177, Lenoir, NC 28645
Meadowbrook	Larry Pennington 1212 Wildwood Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Mountain Grove	Peggy Helton 117 Oakmont Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Mt. Zion	Earl Clontz Route 3, Box 640, Hudson, NC 28638
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. Norma Cozart Route 8, Box 207, Lenoir, NC 28645
North Catawba	Tommy Welch Route 3, Box 287-A, Lenoir, NC 28645
Union	Sandy Mullinax Route 2, Lenoir, NC 28645
Union Grove	Luther Smith 403 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Yadkin	Gary James 103 Tranquil Hills, Lenoir, NC 28645

EVANGELISM COUNCIL CHAIRMAN IN LOCAL CHURCHES LISTED ON LETTER

Baton	Shane Epps Route 2, Box 450, Granite Falls, NC 28630
College Avenue	Carole Wilson 411 Realty Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
Dudley Shoals	Conley Starnes 705 Dudley Shoals Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Granite Falls First	Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Witherspoon 35 Meandering Way, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Mountain Grove	Judi Hyatt P.O. Box 236, Hudson, NC 28638
Whitnel First	Jerry Turner 2511 Brentwood Circle, Lenoir, NC 28645

SUMMER WORKERS

Caldwell Baptist Association	Leslie Ford
College Avenue	Eric Hayes
Dudley Shoals	Sarah Hales
Lower Creek	Jamie Bullins
Mt. Zion	Doug Turnmire

MESSENGERS ATTENDING THE ANNUAL SESSIONS OF THE ASSOCIATION, SEPTEMBER 22 & 23, 1988

BATON: Rev. Howard Barnes, Mrs. Howard Barnes, Becky Brown, Ruth Greene, Eula Parsons, Allen Voss, Mary Voss, 1 visitor	
BETHANY: Rev., Leland Green, Mrs. Leland Green	
BUFFALO COVE: Mavel Hawkins, Hazel Woodward	
CAJAH'S MOUNTAIN: Rev. Harry Lee Turbyfill, Mrs. Harry Lee Turbyfill	
CALVARY: Rev. Billy Dyson, Mrs. Bill Dyson, Ricky Borders, Felicia Borders, Bobby James, Mike Nelson, 1 visitor	
CEDAR ROCK: Rev. Jim Robbins	
CENTER GROVE: Rev. Mickey Moree, Connie McRary, Katie Lail, Buster Lail, Dorothy Winkler, Inez Cantley, Aubrey Cantley, Eric Calloway, 4 visitors	
CENTRAL: Janelle Pennell, Edgar Lineberger, Ramona Thompson, Rev. Frank Colburn, Mrs. Melvin Hines, 15 visitors	
CLARK'S CHAPEL: Rev. Jack Sprinkle, Mrs. Jack Sprinkle, Mrs. J.B. Angley, Signey Maynard, Lois Maynard	
CLEARVIEW: Faye Calloway, Carson Calloway	
CLOVER: Bill Suddreth, Mrs. Bill Suddreth, W.H. McNeill, 1 visitor	
COLLEGE AVENUE: Rev. Curtis Tutterrow, Rev. Willard Jenkins, Mildred Roberts, Terry Barnes, Virginia Lambert, Ken Little	
CONCORD: Rev. Paul Childers	
CRESTVIEW: Rev. Keith Shorter, Mrs. Keith Shorter, Rick Bene	
DUDLEY SHOALS: Rev. Don Ingle, Ralph Ogles, Mrs. Ralph Ogles, Herman Kizer, Dan Redding, Ted Starnes, Mary Hudson, Alma Helton, 1 visitor	
FELLOWSHIP: Rev. James Hamby, Rosemary Duck, Mrs. Marcus Sullivan, Marcus Sullivan, Charles Powell, Mrs. Charles Powell, 11 visitors	
FLEMINGS CHAPEL: Rev. Stanley Townsend, Mrs. Stanley Townsend, Joyce Winkler, Mrs. Darth Reichard, Betty Kincaid	
FRIENDSHIP: Rev. Frank Denning, Gloria Hubbard	
GRANDIN: Rev. Edwin D. Price, Sr., Mrs. Edwin D. Price, Vallie L. Icenhour	
GRANITE FALLS FIRST: Rev. Bob Evans, Mrs. J. Mack Moore, Mrs. Harold Reid, 1 visitor	
GREEN VALLEY: Bobby Baldwin, Sandra C. Coffey	
HARRISBURG: Rev. Ted Williams, Frances Price, Mrs. Clarence Coffey, Clarence Coffey, Una Simmons, 1 visitor	
HARTLAND: Rev. David Giffin, Mrs. David Giffin, Gwyn Warren, Mrs. Catherine Perkins, Robert Perkins, Betty Rose Miller, Grace Turnmire, Shirley Sides, 1 visitor	
HUDSON FIRST: Dr. Billy G. Rivers, Mrs. Ernest Hall, Don Almond, Hovis Allen, Mrs. Hovis Allen, Rev. Michael Isaacs, C.A. Keller, 5 visitors	

- KINGS CREEK: Rev. Stanley Skipper, Mrs. Stanley Skipper, Stella Austin, Dare Teague, Hill Lackey
- LAKEVIEW: Rev. Howard Hawkins, Howard Annas
- LENOIR FIRST: Rev. Don Rogers, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Mrs. Rex Watts, Ben Sullivan, Mrs. Ben Sullivan, Jack Spainhour, 2 visitors
- LIVINGSTON MEMORIAL: Frederick Walsh, Reba Walsh, Marie Hatton, Pearline Hatton, Becky Foust, Jerry Smith
- LOWER CREEK: Rev. Joel Sellers, Douglas I. Jordan, Janice Jordan, 7 visitors
- MEADOWBROOK: Miss Nora McGee, Tim Hendrix, Mrs. Tim Hendrix, Rev. Clifton Tuttle, Lillian Turnmire, 2 visitors
- MILLER HILL: Rev. David Buchanan, Clarence Prestwood, Bobbi Watson, Bobbie Greene, L.H. Nelson, 1 visitor
- MOUNTAIN GROVE: Rev. H. Clifton Black, Ruth Whisenant, Anna Dean Smith, Rachel Smith, Marlene Buckner, Margaret Scronce, Fay Teague, Mack Fletcher, 1 visitor
- MOUNTAIN VIEW: Rev. A.J. Singley, Jennifer Coffey, Douglas Clark, 2 visitors
- MT. CARMEL: Tula Bumgarner
- MT. ZION: Rev. Glenn Walker, Earl Woods, Mrs. Earl Woods, Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Mrs. Dale Fisher, Steve Crouse, Irene Smith, Clemey Holden, Geneva Miller, 2 visitors
- MULBERRY: Grant Moore, Mrs. Grant Moore, 1 visitor
- MULVALE: Rev. Paul White, Jr., Rhea Holsclaw, Diane Hoyle
- NELSONS CHAPEL: Rev. John DeMauro, Winnie Miller, Luther Suddreth
- NORTH CATAWBA: Rev. John Barnhardt, Mrs. John Barnhardt, Mrs. Fannie Moore Baker, Margaret Barnwell, Merle Chapman, Rayna Thompson, Sandra Miller, L. Brooks Walker, Mrs. L. Brooks Walker, 1 visitor
- OAK GROVE: Rev. Wayne White, Jake Harrison
- PINEY GROVE: Rev. Gil Larew, Ruth Walsh, Roger Dula, Ann Triplett, Warren Holder
- POOVEY'S CHAPEL: Rev. H. Dean Harrold, Mrs. H. Dean Harrold, Rebecca Cole, Lynn Laws
- POOVEY'S GROVE: Rev. Roger Mercer, Pearl Hawkins, Earl Holman, Mrs. Garland Keller, Garland Keller
- RHODHISS FIRST: Rev. David Philbeck, Janet Morris, Joann Propst, Boyd Brown
- SETZERS CREEK: Rev. Herbert McCoy, Lloyd Nichols, Claude Storie, Horace J. Moretz, Mrs. Horace J. Moretz, 1 visitor
- SUNRISE: Rev. Ed Warren, Floyd Crouch, Eddie Bumgarner, Ronny G. Harris, Rev. Marvin Saunders, 1 visitors
- TEMPLE HILL: Rev. C.H. Kincaid, Melvin Collins, Joe L. Helton, 5 visitors
- UNION: Maida McGee, Mary White, Elizabeth Teague, Mrs. W.A. Reid, A.A. Cooke, Mrs. A.A. Cooke, Ruby Auton, 1 visitor
- UNION GROVE: Rev. Guy Helms, Mrs. Joyce Helms, Maxine W. Smith, Luther M. Smith, Jim Ford, Mrs. L.J. Ford, Neal Efird, 2 visitors
- WEST LENOIR: Thomas A. Watters
- WHITNEL FIRST: Rev. Stuart White, Stewart Land, Curtis Pritchard, Mina Pritchard, Hazel Arnette, Ray Arnette, Robert Gryder, Sylvia Jean Smith, Bobby Triplett, Kathy Triplett, 3 visitors
- YADKIN: Rev. Robert Livingston, Sherrill Gorman, 1 visitor
- YADKIN VALLEY: Arvil Greene, Mrs. Arvil Greene, Dare Sparks, 1 visitor
- ZACKS FORK: Rev. Wayne Borders, Mrs. Wayne Borders, 1 visitor

VISITORS FROM OUTSIDE THE ASSOCIATION: 23

HISTORICAL EVENTS**1987-88**

Buffalo Cove — Purchased new piano, sound system and flags. Awaiting installation of carpet and new pews.

Center Grove — Observed 75th Anniversary, built new Fellowship Hall.

Clarks Chapel — E.L. Brown, ordained for ministry, air conditioned educational building, paved additional parking area, Youth Week observed for the first time, Music Emphasis month observed and special leadership training in Sunday School and Church Training.

Clearview — Built a new sanctuary which was dedicated November 1987.

Clover — Initiated purchase of 13 acres of land, with house on land, which is adjacent to the cemetery beside Sanctuary.

Crest View — Addition of Minister of Youth and Education.

Dry Ponds — Started building new Sanctuary.

Dudley Shoals — Church called Rev. Dan Redding, our first Associate Pastor. Acteen Activators went to Friendship House, Newport News, Virginia. Summer Youth Corp Worker, Sarah Hales. Winford Laxton Class bricked Leesville Baptist Church, Durham.

Flemings Chapel — Finished new church building — old one burned.

Friendship — Bought trailer to use as R.A. rooms. Bought new church van.

Hartland — Purchased microphones for choir loft, copy machine, VCR and monitor for church. Celebrated our 50th Homecoming this year. Acteen Activators conducted Backyard Bible School in Virginia.

Lakeview — Parking lot blacktopped.

Lenoir First — Celebrated 99th Birthday on 8/21/88.

Livingston Memorial — Ordained Jerry Smith for ministry.

Miller Hill — Purchased special equipment for hearing impaired. W.M.U. celebrated Centennial and completed W.M.U. quilt.

Mt. Zion — Construction of Educational and Administrative Building. Entered three year fund raising effort titled "Continue the Challenge." Doug Turnmire served as Summer Youth Worker. Pastor went to Sao Paulo, Brazil as part of the Partnership Evangelism Team. Young people participated in Backyard Bible Clubs in Myrtle Beach area. Group of men volunteered services at Caswell for renovations. Began celebration of 100th Anniversary which will be May 1989.

Nelsons Chapel — Tape Ministry.

Setzers Creek — Purchased new baby grand piano and installed new lighted church sign.

Sunrise — Built Fellowship Hall.

Yadkin — Renovation of church.

MISSIONARIES WHO ARE SERVING OR HAVE SERVED FROM THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

AFRICA:

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ford, (on leave) 6707 Newman Road, Waxsaw, NC 28173
(Union Grove Church)

Rev. & Mrs. Tom Small, (on leave) Penelope Baptist Church, 3310 Main Ave.,
N.W. Hickory, NC 28601 Tel. (704) 328-9421 (FBC Hudson)

Ms. Stella Austin, retired, 1052-6 Cedar Hills Apt., Lenoir, NC 28645 Tel. 758-7604
(Kings Creek Church)

BRAZIL:

Mrs. Hilda Cowsert, RUA Uruguai 514 App. 203, 20510 Rio de Janeiro RJ, Brazil,
S.A. (Concord Church)

Rev. & Mrs. J. Guy Key, La Igreja Batista de Santos, Praca Jose Bonifacio
11-Centro, 11100 Santos, Sp. Brazil, S.A. (Mrs. Key is Hilda Cowsert's daughter)

Rev. & Mrs. Craige Steele, Caixa Postal, 18.741, 04.699 Sao Paulo, SP Brazil
(Lower Creek Church)

Rev. & Mrs. Wayne Sorrels, now at home and Wayne is serving as a pastor.
(Flemings Chapel Church)

ECUADOR:

Rev. & Mrs. Dennis Herman, (on leave) 515 Miller Street, Winston-Salem, NC
27103 Tel. (919) 724-7035 (Union Grove Church)

INDONESIA:

Rev. & Mrs. Wayne Pennell, Jalan Suroto 4, Yogyakarta, Indonesia. (FBC
Whitnel)

PHILIPPINES:

Mrs. Lin (Faye Turnmire) Fincannon, 756 Oakland Dr., Elkin, NC 28621 Tel.
(919) 835-3381

GAZA (Journeyman):

Mrs. David (Carolyn Hart) Sizemore, 2600 Lake Street, Hemet, Calif. 92343.
(Lower Creek Church)

JORDAN:

Rev. & Mrs. Roger Wall, c/o Mr. Graydon Hardister, P.O. Box 17147, Amman,
Jordan (Mt. Carmel Church)

SERVING IN ANOTHER STATE:

Miss Maxine Bumgarner, W.M.U. Director of West Virginia, 801 Sixth Ave., St.
Albans, West Virginia 25177 (Temple Hill Church)

HOME MISSION BOARD:

Miss Ella Keller, retired, 41 Crestview Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630 Tel. (704)
396-4330 (FBC Granite Falls)

Mrs. Christine (Hastings) Braidwood, a US-2 Served in Atlanta, Georgia at a
Baptist Center (Calvary Church)

Miss Judy Bailey, P.O. Box 754, Wilson, Wyoming 83014. Teaches and works with
missionaries there. (North Catawba Church)

DIRECTORS OF MISSIONS:

Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Caldwell Baptist Association, 208 Nu-Way Circle, N.E., Lenoir,
NC 28645 (Mt. Zion Church)

Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell, retired, 516 Main Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
(FBC Lenoir)

Rev. Jake Phillips, retired, Covington Association, Andalusia, Alabama
Rev. J.W. Myers, retired, Route 3, Box 350, Granite Falls, NC 28630. Served the Cheoh and Tennessee River Association (Oak Grove Church)
Rev. Worth Braswell, deceased. Mrs. Lena Braswell, Route 1, Box 66-A, Hudson, NC 28638 (FBC Hudson)
Mrs. J.D. (Ruth Keller) Craig, served Caldwell Association 3 years.

MEMBERS DECEASED

September 1, 1987 — August 31, 1988

BATON — None
BETHANY — Mr. Glenn Bolick
BLAIRS FORK — Mr. Odel Pearson, deacon; Mrs. Lois Pearson
BUFFALO COVE — Miss Pantha Taylor, Mrs. Luther (Charlotte) Hawkins
CAJAH'S MOUNTAIN — None
CALVARY — Mr. Coy Pennell, Mr. Buster Clark, Mr. Virgil Robbins, Mr. Ernest Baird
CEDAR ROCK — Mr. William Cantor
CENTER GROVE — Mr. Perry Teague
CENTRAL — Mrs. Annie Sullivan, Mrs. Ophra Livingston, Mrs. Betty Beane, Mr. Ransome Craig, Mrs. Thelma Walker, Mrs. Lydia Smith, Mr. Harold Johnson and Mrs. Lorraine Hollar
CLARK'S CHAPEL — None
CLEARVIEW — Mrs. Bertha Haas, charter member
CLOVER — Mrs. Pauline Coleman Reid, Mr. William "Bill" Baird, Mrs. Alma Hice, Mr. Will Hubbard, Mr. Mike Evans, Mr. Jerry Beal, Mrs. Monnie Mae Day, Mrs. Mary Smith Reid and Mr. Carlos E. Hamby
COLLEGE AVENUE — Mr. Shell Cook, Mr. Phil Adkins, Mrs. Wesley Clark, Mrs. Linda Martin, Mrs. Maybelle Doughton, Mrs. Harriet Biggerstaff, Miss Ellen Winkler, Mr. Cecil Walsh, Mrs. Erna Summerline and Mr. Donald Walsh
CONCORD — Mr. Larry Stafford and Mrs. Oliver Mull
CONWAY'S CHAPEL — Rev. Ernest Curtis
CREST VIEW — Mr. John Nelson, Mr. Lawrence Wheeler and Mr. Drannon Bray
DRY PONDS — None
DUDLEY SHOALS — Mrs. Lizzie McCall, Mrs. Lucille Reed and Mr. Gene Sears
EDGEMONT — None
FELLOWSHIP — Mr. Donald Crump, deacon
FLEMINGS CHAPEL — Mrs. Joann Bolick, Mr. Leroy Michael, Cordie Chester and Gladys Setzer
FRIENDSHIP — Mrs. Ada Kirby and Mrs. Mae Belle Andrews
GLOBE — No Letter
GRANDIN — None
GRANDVIEW PARK — None
GRANITE FALLS FIRST — Mrs. Mattie Wilson, Mrs. Patricia Hollifield, Mr. Eugene Waters, Mrs. Mae Williams, Mrs. Mary Sheppard, Mrs. Mary W. Whisnant and Mrs. Ruth Herman
GREEN ROCK — No Letter
GREEN VALLEY — Mr. Arvil Coffey

HARRIS CHAPEL — Mr. Jimmy Austin, Mrs. Della Bentley, Mr. M.M. Davis, Mrs. Hilda Craig and Mrs. Louise Kirby

HARRISBURG — Mr. Claude Spake

HARTLAND — Mr. Walter C. McKinney, Mrs. May C. Adkins, Mr. R. Preston Williams, Mrs. Bertie W. Williams and Mrs. Florence A. Clark

HIBRITEN — Mrs. Lois Harwood, Mrs. Rosa Greene Scott and Mr. Darrell Beane

HUDSON FIRST — Mrs. W. Arntz Benfield, Mr. Robert Cline, Jr., Mr. Dewey G. Colvard, Mrs. J. Mack Ford, Mrs. C.A. Keller, Mr. Arvin Lingle, Mrs. Virgil Mabe, Mrs. Felix A. McCrary, Mr. Dudley F. Nelson, Jr. and Mr. Ralph Wise

JOHNS RIVER — No Letter

KINGS CREEK — Mr. R. Melvin Hedrick and Mr. Lennie Cook

LAKEVIEW — None

LENOIR FIRST — Mr. William Rogers Warren, Mrs. R.R. Shuford, Miss Sarah Lee Robbins, Mr. Guy Boughman, Mrs. Mamie Seabock, Mrs. Ed Beam, Mrs. Elizabeth Reinhardt, Mr. Robert Correll, Mrs. Andrew Brown, Mr. Grady Kincaid, deacon; Mrs. Charles Zemp, Mr. Harold Setzer, Mr. Guy Braswell, Miss Eleanor Miller, Mr. J.W. Kincaid, Jr., Mr. J.E. Broyhill, deacon and Mr. Raby D. Woods

LIBERTY — No Letter

LIVINGSTON MEMORIAL — Mr. Tony Watson

LOVELADY — No Letter

LOWER CREEK — Mrs. Cordia Beach, Mrs. Eva Claffee, Mrs. Ethel Smith, Mrs. Mable Bolick and Mrs. Pearl Moore

MEADOWBROOK — Mrs. Cora Curtis and Mr. Leroy Robbins

MILLER HILL — Mrs. Norma Jean Puett, Mr. Glenn Hawkins and Mrs. Helen Coffey

MOUNTAIN GROVE — Mr. Murl Hood, Mr. Jesse Powell, deacon; Mr. Ransom Bean, Mr. Jay Whisnant, deacon; Mr. Luther Cozart, Mrs. Ada Smith, Mrs. Elma Coffey and Mrs. Rindia Greene

MT. CARMEL — None

MOUNTAIN VIEW — Mr. Euliss W. Gurley and Mr. Robert B. Crisp

MT. ZION — Mr. Ernest Icard, Mr. Charles Lowrance, Mr. H.P. Benfield, Mrs. Pearl Lail and Mr. Caaney Benfield

MULBERRY — None

MULVALE — Mr. Oscar Greene

NELSON'S CHAPEL — None

NORTH CATAWBA — None

OAK GROVE — Mr. Clarence Herndon, Mrs. J.W. Myers, Mrs. Estelle Wilson and Mrs. Etta Hollar

PINEY GROVE — Mr. Richard Dula and Mrs. Mary Sullivan

PISGAH — No Letter

POOVEY'S CHAPEL — Mr. Wade Oxford and Vivian Bumgarner

POOVEY'S GROVE — Mrs. June Brittain, Mrs. Mary Johnson, Mrs. Helen Pearson, Mr. Charles Pearson and Mrs. Grace Setzer

RHODISS FIRST — Mr. George Bumgarner and Mrs. Linda Price

ROCKY SPRINGS — Mr. Clifton Hayes, Mr. Dallas Key and Mr. Bynum Rhodes

RUFUS — Mr. Lex Mast, deacon

SETZERS CREEK — Mr. Terrill Fillers

SUNRISE — None

TEMPLE HILL — Mr. David Link, Mrs. Earl Collins, Mrs. Margie Hollar, Mr. Roy White, Mr. Larry Smith, Mr. Paul Keller, Mr. Park Harris, Mrs. Doris Bumgarner, Mr. Bobby Gilber and Mrs. Addie Bell Pipes

UNION — Mr. John White, deacon; Mrs. Ollie Smith and Mr. Paul Crump
 UNION GROVE — Mr. A. Brooks Smith, Mrs. Bessie Smith, Mrs. Ida Smith, Mr. Rufus Bolick, Mrs. Lucy Sullivan and Mrs. Dare Bean
 WEST LENOIR — Master Matthew Land, Mrs. Jeanette Stafford, Mr. Burl Walker, Mr. Dean Curtis and Mr. Lawrence Sanders
 WHITNEL FIRST — Mrs. Mattie Davis, Mrs. Martha Bolick, Mrs. Glenda Martin, Mr. Wade McGee and Mrs. Cordie Austin
 YADKIN — Mr. A.E. Pierce, Mr. Marion A. Bolick and Mr. Michael Price
 YADKIN VALLEY — None
 ZACKS FORK — Mr. Lester Coffey

PROGRAM

One-hundred and Fourth Annual Meeting First Session

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Thursday, September 22, 1988 — 9:15 A.M.

"Proclaiming and Demonstrating God's Kingdom through Preparation"

<i>Music Director</i>	Edgar Lineberger, Central
<i>Organist</i>	Melvin Hines, Central
<i>Pianist</i>	Karen Hamby, Central
9:05 Prelude	Instrumentalists
9:15 Call to Order	Dr. Billy Rivers, Hudson First
Hymn No. 438	<i>"He Lives"</i>
9:20 Scripture and Prayer	Rev. Gilbert Larew, Piney Grove
9:25 Presentation of 1988 Program	Order of Business Committee
Presentation of 1988 Book of Reports	Ann Hatton, Kings Creek
Naming of Committees by Moderator:	
ENROLLMENT:	Selected members of host churches
MINUTES:	Mrs. Barbara Fisher, <i>Chairman</i> , Mt. Zion
	Mrs. Margaret Benfield, Hudson First
	Mrs. Nancy Isaacs, Yadkin
RESOLUTIONS:	Rev. Jim Hamby, <i>Chairman</i> , Fellowship
	Hovis Allen, Hudson First
	Mrs. Sue Smith, Miller Hill
9:35 Welcome	Rev. Frank Colburn, Lower Creek
Recognition of new pastors and staff ...	Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Mt. Zion
9:40 Organization Reports	
Associational Council	Terry Barnes, College Avenue
• Presentation of "1988-89 Associational Calendar of Activities"	
Brotherhood	Larry Helderman, Hudson First
Church Training	Rev. Stuart White, Whitnel First
Media Library	Mrs. Bobbi Watson, Miller Hill
Music	Brooks Walker, North Catawba
Sunday School	Rev. Don Ingle, Dudley Shoals
W.M.U.	Mrs. Joann Propst, Rhodhiss First
9:55 Hymn No. 130	<i>"Pentecostal Power"</i>
10:00 "The State of the Association"	Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Mt. Zion

10:30	Trustees of Associational Property	
	• Baptist Center Committee Report	Harold Beach, Lenoir First
	• Ridgecrest Committee Report	Nora McGee, Meadowbrook
10:40	Personnel Committee Report	Rev. Joel Sellers, Lower Creek
10:45	Christian Education Report	Mrs. Jo Suttles, Fellowship
10:50	Seminary Extension Report	James Coffey, Lower Creek
10:55	Miscellaneous Business and Announcements	
11:05	Fellowship	Break
11:10	Hymn No. 487	<i>"Since Jesus Came Into My Heart"</i>
11:15	Presentation of revised Constitution	
	& Bylaws	Dr. Howard Hawkins, Lakeview
	Presentation of amendments to the revision	Messengers
11:25	Special Music	Associational Men's Quartet
	Don Almond, Steve Crouse, Sherrill German and Brooks Walker	
11:30	Annual Sermon	Rev. David Philbeck, Rhodhiss First
	Benediction	Edgar Lineberger, Central
12:00	Adjourn until Second Session	
	Lunch	

Second Session

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Thursday, September 22, 1988 — 1:00 P.M.

"Proclaiming and Demonstrating God's Kingdom through Cooperation"

<i>Music Director</i>	Edgar Lineberger, Central
<i>Organist</i>	Melvin Hines, Central
<i>Pianist</i>	Karen Hamby, Central
12:50 Prelude	Instrumentalists
1:00 Hymn No. 75	<i>"I Love Thee"</i>
1:05 Scripture and Prayer	Rev. Bill McNeill, Clover
1:10 Executive Committee Report ...	Mrs. Margaret Benfield, Hudson First
1:15 Treasurer's Report	Jack Spainhour, Lenoir First
1:20 Finance Committee/ Stewardship Reports	Rev. Don Ingle, Dudley Shoals
• Presentation of 1988-89 Budget	
1:25 Baptist Foundation Report	Elizabeth J. Campbell, Lenoir First
1:30 Fellowship Groups Report	Rev. Jack Sprinkle, Clarks Chapel
1:35 Baptist Historical Report	Mrs. J. Mack Moore, Granite Falls First
1:40 Religious Literature/ Biblical Recorder Report	Rev. Sherrill German, Yadkin
1:50 Miscellaneous Business and Announcements	
2:00 Hymn No. 263	<i>"Revive Us Again"</i>
2:05 Statistician's Report	Ann Hatton, Kings Creek
2:10 N.C. Baptist Hospital Report	Rev. Ken Little, College Avenue
2:15 N.C. Baptist Retirement Homes Report	Clarence Prestwood, Miller Hill
2:20 N.C. Baptist Children's Homes Report	Mrs. Donna Lail, Dudley Shoals
2:25 Special Music	Miss Leslie Ford, Yadkin
2:30 Message Dr. Michael Blackwell, <i>President</i> , N.C. Baptist Children's Homes	
Benediction	Clarence Helderman, Hudson First
3:00 Adjournment until Third Session	

Third Session

FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH

Thursday, September 22, 1988 — 7:00 P.M.

"Proclaiming and Demonstrating God's Kingdom through Participation"

<i>Music Director</i>	Mrs. Jo Suttles, Fellowship
<i>Organist</i>	Mrs. Marlene Sullivan, Fellowship
<i>Pianist</i>	Mrs. Merle Chapman, North Catawba
6:50 Prelude	Instrumentalists
7:00 Hymn No. 24	<i>"Let All the World in Every Corner Sing"</i>
7:05 Scripture and Prayer	Rev. Herbert McCoy, Setzer's Creek
7:10 Welcome	Rev. Jim Hamby, Fellowship
7:15 Missions Committee Report	Rev. Robert Livingston, Yadkin
• Recommendations concerning churches seeking membership in the Association	
7:30 N.C. State Missions Report	Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Mt. Zion
7:35 Home Missions Report	Ella Keller, Granite Falls First
7:40 Foreign Missions Report	Stella Austin, Kings Creek
7:45 Recognition of Career Missionaries	Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Mt. Zion
7:55 Hymn No. 293	<i>"Send Me, O Lord, Send Me"</i>
8:00 W.M.U. Centennial Celebration Report	W.M.U. Ladies
8:20 W.M.U. Centennial Hymn	
8:25 Brazil Partnership Report	Mission Volunteers
8:50 Recognition of Mission Volunteers	Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Mt. Zion
Benediction	Rev. Robert Livingston, Yadkin
9:00 Adjournment until Fourth Session	

Fourth Session

TEMPLE HILL BAPTIST CHURCH

Friday, September 23, 1988 — 9:15 A.M.

"Proclaiming and Demonstrating God's Kingdom through Dedication"

<i>Music Director</i>	Brooks Walker, North Catawba
<i>Organist</i>	Mrs. Nancy Coffey, Temple Hill
<i>Pianist</i>	Mrs. Linda Reid, Temple Hill
9:05 Prelude	Instrumentalists
9:15 Hymn No. 434	<i>"Serve the Lord with Gladness"</i>
9:20 Scripture and Prayer	Rev. Dan Redding, Dudley Shoals
9:25 Welcome	Rev. C.H. Kincaid, Temple Hill
9:30 Discussion and vote on revised Constitution and Bylaws	
10:00 Annuity Board Report	Rev. Frank Colburn, Lower Creek
10:05 Family Life and Public Concerns ...	Rev. Michael Isaacs, Hudson First
10:10 Miscellaneous Business and Announcements	
10:20 Fellowship Break	
10:25 Hymn No. 357	<i>"Take My Life and Let It Be"</i>
10:30 Director of Missions Report	Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Mt. Zion
10:45 Evangelism Report	Dr. Clifton Black, Mountain Grove
10:50 Reports of Various Committees:	
Committee on Committees	Hill Lackey, Kings Creek

	Committee on Nominations	John O. Hawkins, Piney Grove
	Enrollment	Mrs. Margaret Benfield, Hudson First
	Minutes	Mrs. Barbara Fisher, Mt. Zion
	Ordination of Ministers	Rev. Willard Jenkins, College Avenue
	Resolutions	Rev. Jim Hamby, Fellowship
	Time, Place and Preacher	Dr. Paul Childers, Concord
11:15	Installation of Officers	Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Mt. Zion
11:20	Obituaries Report	Rev. Herbert McCoy, Setzer's Creek
11:25	Special Music	Brooks Walker, North Catawba
11:30	Message	Dr. Thad R. Dowdle, <i>Evangelist</i> Thad R. Dowdle Christian Ministries, Inc.
	Benediction	Dr. Billy Rivers, Hudson First
12:00	Adjournment of the 104th Annual Meeting Lunch	

CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

One-hundred and fourth Annual Meeting

PROCEEDINGS

First Session

Central Baptist Church

Thursday, September 22, 1988

1. A prelude of music was rendered by organist, Melvin Hines and pianist, Karen Hamby as messengers and visitors gathered for the 104th Annual Meeting of the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association at Central Baptist Church in Whitnel.
2. At 9:15 A.M., the meeting was called to order by Dr. Billy Rivers, Moderator.
3. Edgar Lineberger led the congregation as they sang "*He Lives.*"
4. Rev. Gilbert Larew, Pastor of Piney Grove Baptist Church led the congregation in worship. He read scripture from Ephesians 4:11-16 and led in prayer.
5. Motion was made that the Order of Business as printed on the program be accepted. This was approved.
6. Ann Hatton, Administrative Assistant for the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association, presented the Book of Reports and asked that any corrections be pointed out to her.
7. The Moderator read the names of the two committees which were appointed by him. They were the Minutes Committee: Mrs. Barbara Fisher, Chairman, Mrs. Margaret Benfield and Mrs. Nancy Isaacs; and the Resolutions Committee: Rev. Jim Hamby, Chairman, Mr. Hovis Allen and Mrs. Sue Smith.
8. A welcome was extended from Rev. Frank Colburn, interim pastor of the host church.
9. New pastors and staff who were present were recognized by Dale Fisher, Director of Missions for the Caldwell Association. They were: Rev. Gilbert Larew, Pastor, Piney Grove Baptist Church; Rev. Dan Redding, Associate Pastor, Dudley Shoals Baptist Church; Rev. and Mrs. Allen Voss, Jr., Pastor, Baton Baptist Church; Rev. and Mrs. Harry Turbyfill, Pastor, Cahah's Mountain Baptist Church; Neal Efird, Minister of Education, Union Grove Baptist Church; Rev. and Mrs. John Barnhardt, Pastor, North Catawba Baptist Church. Other new additions present were: Ashley Fisher, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Dale Fisher and Kelly Shorter, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Keith Shorter.

10. Terry Barnes, Chairman of the Associational Council, presented the report for his council and the Associational Calendar of Activities. He moved for the adoption of the Calendar of Activities and it was approved.
11. In the absence of Larry Helderman, Associational Brotherhood Director, Billy Rivers moved that his report be accepted as printed in the Book of Reports. This report was approved.
12. The Church Training report was presented by Rev. Stuart White, Associational Church Training Director. The report was approved.
13. Bobbi Watson, Associational Media/Library Director presented the Media/Library report. She moved for the adoption of her report as printed in the Book of Reports. It was approved.
14. Brooks Walker, Associational Music Director, moved for the adoption of his Music Report as found in the Book of Reports and this was approved.
15. Don Ingle, Associational Sunday School Director, presented the Sunday School report. It was approved as printed in the Book of Reports. After several announcements of coming Sunday School events, Rev. Ingle presented his 1987-88 and 1988-89 Sunday School Assist Team with certificates of appreciation. Dale Fisher then presented Rev. Ingle a certificate of appreciation for being director of the Sunday School Assist Team for the past two years.
16. Mrs. Joann Propst, Associational W.M.U. Director, moved for the adoption of the W.M.U. Report as printed in the Book of Reports. It was approved.
17. Edgar Lineberger led the congregation in singing "*Pentecostal Power.*"
18. Director of Missions, Dale Fisher, presented the "State of the Association" message. The title of his message was "A Closer Walk with Our Lord." He read scripture from Matthew 28 verses 16-20.
19. In the absence of Harold Beach, Chairman of the Baptist Center Committee, Dale Fisher presented his report. The following recommendations were made by the Trustees of Associational Property:
 - a. *Incorporation:* The trustees were asked to consider the issue of incorporating the association. It was decided that incorporation would be a good step for the association considering its size and the need for protection against lawsuits. It is recommended that the 1988-89 Trustees Committee follow through with the actual incorporation procedure. This recommendation was approved.
 - b. *Camp:* A realty company in Lenoir shared with the trustees about a camp that was for sale in the Globe community of Caldwell County. The trustees studied the material available on the camp and travelled to the property for a first-hand inspection. After careful consideration, it was decided that the camp would not be a good investment; however, the trustees think that a camp for the association could be beneficial. It is recommended that the 1988-89 Trustees Committee be asked to further study the possibility of a camp for the association. The recommendation was approved.
20. The Baptist Center Committee made the following recommendations:
 - a. *Recommendation No. 1* — The Baptist Center Committee recommends that the association wait indefinitely on the purchase of a satellite system for the Baptist Center and participation in BTN. An annual subscription to BTN for an association the size of Caldwell is very expensive and the committee feels that the service would not be used enough to justify the cost at this time. The recommendation was approved.
 - b. *Recommendation No. 2* — The Baptist Center Committee recommends that the association purchase a computer system. It is believed that a computer

system will improve the efficiency of the associational work tremendously. The Baptist Center is a place of information and a computer system would greatly enhance the quantity and quality of needed information. The Finance Committee has budgeted \$7,000.00 for new office equipment which includes the purchase of a computer system. It is recommended that the 1988-89 Properties Committee follow through with the purchase of a computer. This recommendation was approved.

- c. *Recommendation No. 3* — The Baptist Center Committee recommends that the 1988-89 History Committee update the old collection of missionary pictures that currently hangs in the Baptist Center mainly by completing dates. In addition, the committee recommends that the 1988-89 History Committee create a new collection of missionary pictures with up-to-date pictures and information. Pictures of missionaries from the Caldwell Association that are not in the older collection are to be added to the new collection. This recommendation was approved.
21. Miss Nora McGee, chairman of the Ridgecrest Property Committee, presented her report with the following recommendation:
The Ridgecrest Cottage Committee was asked by the messengers of the 1987 Annual Meeting to begin the task of renovating the Caldwell Baptist Cottage at Ridgecrest. A projected cost and means for paying for the renovation was asked to be presented to the association. A list of renovation items has been compiled including vinyl siding, rewiring the building, new windows, new showers and plumbing, painting, and some new furnishings. It is recommended that \$25,000 be approved for this project and that the money come from associational savings. The recommendation was approved.
22. Rev. Joel Sellers, chairman of the Personnel Committee, presented the revised Job Descriptions which had been prepared by the Personnel Committee. He had one correction to make in his presentation which was that the phrase chairman of the Associational Council be changed to the Director of the Associational Council. He moved that the new Job Descriptions be accepted and it was approved.
23. Mrs. Jo Kincaid, representative for Christian Education, presented her report. The report was approved.
24. James Coffey, chairman of the Seminary Extension Committee, presented his report. The report was approved. In his comments, Mr. Coffey brought attention to the fact that for the first time the association would be sponsoring a day and night Seminary Extension class.
25. Edgar Lineberger led the congregation in the singing of "*Since Jesus Came Into My Heart.*"
26. Before introducing Dr. Howard Hawkins, chairman of the Constitution and Bylaws Committee, Dr. Rivers made clear to the messengers that this would be the only time in which they could make amendments to the proposed Constitution and Bylaws. He also stated that discussion and vote on the proposed Constitution and Bylaws would be Friday morning at 9:30 A.M.
27. Dr. Hawkins presented the Constitution and Bylaws and the procedure which was used in presenting it to the people. The procedure was as follows:
 1. *July 21* — Mail the proposed Constitution and Bylaws to the churches with a letter of explanation.
 2. *September 1* — Conduct a "Question and Answer" Meeting at the Lakeview Baptist Church at 7:00 P.M. The purpose of the meeting is to respond to

questions about the proposed revision. *All* Caldwell Baptists are invited to participate in the meeting.

3. *September 22* — Make a formal presentation of the revised Constitution and Bylaws during the first session of the 1988 Annual Meeting of the Association. The session will be held at the Central Baptist Church and will begin at 9:15 A.M.

All amendments to the revised Constitution and Bylaws must be presented to the messengers during the first session. The amendments are to be typed and ready for duplication. Copies of each amendment will be presented to the messengers during the second and third sessions of the Annual Meeting. This will give the messengers time to study each amendment.

4. *September 23* — During the fourth session, an opportunity will be given for discussion and vote on any and all amendments to the revised Constitution and Bylaws, as presented by the committee or as amended by the messengers, will be conducted. The fourth session will be held at the Temple Hill Baptist Church. It will begin at 9:15 A.M.
5. *October 1* — The revised Constitution and Bylaws will become effective. This procedure was approved by the Executive Committee on May 17, 1988. Dr. Hawkins drew attention to the fact that on page 8 and 18 of the constitution that the word *Chairman* of the Associational Council should be changed to read *Director* of the Associational Council. This was done in order that all terminology throughout the new Constitution and Bylaws would be the same.
28. One amendment to the Revised Constitution and Bylaws was presented by Rev. Joel Sellers, chairman of the Personnel Committee. It reads as follows:

BYLAWS

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Article VI: Organization and Leadership

Section 1.

B. Personnel

2. General (current reading)

- c. The Personnel Committee or any other committee cannot recommend an *employee* to the association for termination of duties without proper notice and a clear explanation of such action given to the individual prior to the associational meeting at which time the recommendation for dismissal is to be made.

A closing financial arrangement is to be provided for an employee who has been dismissed by the association. The Personnel Committee is to determine a fair closing financial arrangement and to make it a part of the recommendation for dismissal to the association.

2. General (proposed reading)

- c. The Personnel Committee or any other committee cannot recommend *The Director of Missions, the Administrative Assistant or the custodian* to the association for termination of duties without proper notice and a clear explanation of such action given to the individual prior to the associational meeting at which time the recommendation for dismissal is to be made.

A closing financial arrangement is to be provided for an employee who has been dismissed by the association. The Personnel Committee is to determine a fair closing financial arrangement and to make it a part of the recommendation for dismissal to the association.

The Summer Worker, Office Help and other temporary employees may be dismissed with clear explanation by the Personnel Committee without approval by the association. No closing financial arrangement is necessary.

No other amendments were presented.

- 29. Special music was presented by the Associational Men's Quartet. They were Don Almond, Steve Crouse, Sherrill German and Brooks Walker.
- 30. Rev. David Philbeck, Pastor of First Baptist Church Rhodhiss brought the Annual Sermon. He read scripture from John chapter 7 beginning with verse 37. His subject was "Abundant Life." He closed his message with prayer.
- 31. Edgar Lineberger closed the session with the benediction.

SECOND SESSION

Thursday Afternoon

- 32. Melvin Hines, organist and Karen Hamby, pianist provided music as messengers and visitors gathered back into the auditorium for the afternoon session.
- 33. Edgar Lineberger led the congregation in singing "*I Love Thee*."
- 34. Dr. Billy Rivers introduced Rev. Glenn Walker, Vice-Moderator, who presided over the afternoon session.
- 35. Rev. Bill McNeill led the association in worship. He read scripture from Acts chapter 2 beginning with verse 41 and led in prayer.
- 36. Rev. Walker presented the Executive Committee Report on behalf of Margaret Benfield, Associational Clerk. The report was approved as printed.
- 37. Jack Spainhour, Associational Treasurer, gave the Treasurer's Report. His report was approved as printed in the Book of Reports.
- 38. The Finance Committee Report was presented by Rev. Don Ingle, chairman. He moved for the adoption of the 1988-89 Ministry Budget which was approved. He brought attention to the fact that the association would be operating under a 13 month budget this year in order to come in line with the new associational organization.
- 39. Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell gave the Baptist Foundation Report. It was approved as printed.
- 40. Fellowship Groups Report was presented by Rev. Jack Sprinkle, President of the Ministers' Conference. It was approved as printed.
- 41. Mrs. J. Mack Moore, Historian, presented the Historian's Report and it was approved.

42. The Religious Literature/Biblical Recorder Report was presented by Sherrill German. It was approved as printed.
43. Mrs. Ruth Greene gave the report of the American Bible Society. The report was approved as printed.
44. After a time of miscellaneous business and announcements, the congregation sang "*Revive Us Again.*"
45. Edgar Lineberger announced that Brenda Turner would be bringing the special music for the afternoon session instead of Leslie Ford who was scheduled to sing.
46. The Statistician's Report was given by Ann Hatton. It was approved as printed. Miss Campbell asked that the Cooperative Program and Special Offerings totals be added to the report.
47. The Baptist Hospital report was given by Ken Little and it was approved.
48. Clarence Prestwood presented the Baptist Retirement Homes Report. The report was approved as printed.
49. Donna Lail, representative for the Baptist Children's Homes presented her report. The report was approved as printed. In her comments, Mrs. Lail gave some information on the two homes which will be opening in Caldwell County. One home is for severely troubled teenage girls; the other is for teenage mothers and their babies. Caldwell Baptists have raised over \$50,000.00 for these homes at this time.
50. Motion was made and approved for Billy Rivers to give a report on the North Carolina General Board and the Fruitland Bible Institute. A short oral report was given by Dr. Rivers. His reports were presented as a matter of information and required no actions on the part of the messengers.
51. Brenda Turner presented the special music. She sang "*Upon this Rock.*"
52. Dr. Michael Blackwell, President of the North Carolina Baptist Children's Homes brought the closing message of the afternoon session. He commended all Baptists for their mission in helping hurting children and broken families.
53. The afternoon session was closed with prayer by Clarence Helderman.

THIRD SESSION

Thursday Evening

Fellowship Baptist Church

54. Mrs. Marlene Sullivan, organist, and Mrs. Merle Chapman, pianist, presented a program of music as messengers and visitors were seated in the sanctuary of Fellowship Baptist Church.
55. Dr. Billy Rivers, Moderator, called the meeting to order.
56. Mrs. Jo Kincaid led the congregation in singing "*Let All the World In Every Corner Sing.*"
57. Rev. Herbert McCoy, led the congregation in worship. He read scripture from Ephesians chapter 6 beginning with verse 10 and led in prayer.
58. Rev. Jim Hamby, Pastor of the host church extended a welcome to all those present.
59. The report from the Missions Committee was presented by Rev. Robert Livingston. The report was approved as printed in the Book of Reports. On behalf of the Missions Rev. Livingston made the following recommendations:
 - a. That the New Life Baptist Church be accepted into full membership with the Caldwell Baptist Association. Rev. Bill McNeill moved that the recommendation be accepted. Ralph Ogles seconded the motion and it was approved.

- b. That the Free Spirit Baptist Church remain under watchcare of the association for another year. Rev. Jack Sprinkle moved that this recommendation be accepted. It was seconded by Rev. Herbert McCoy and approved.
60. Rev. Dale Fisher presented the North Carolina State Missions Report. It was approved as printed in the Book of Reports.
61. Ella Keller presented the Homes Missions Report. It was approved as printed.
62. The Foreign Missions Report, presented by Stella Austin, was approved as printed in the Book of Reports.
63. Rev. Dale Fisher recognized all career missionaries from Caldwell Association who were present. Those career missionaries present were: Elizabeth J. Campbell who served as a Director of Missions, Ella Keller, who served with the Home Mission Board, and Stella Austin and Faye Turnmire Fincannon, who both served with the Foreign Mission Board.
64. Mrs. Jo Kincaid led the congregation in singing "*Send Me, O Lord, Send Me.*"
65. The W.M.U. Centennial Report was presented by Mrs. Joann Propst, Associational W.M.U. Director, and several other ladies who had traveled to Richmond, Virginia for the W.M.U. Centennial Celebration. At the close of their report, Mrs. Mary Suddreth, Associational W.M.U. Director elect, presented an appreciation plaque to Joann Propst from the Caldwell Baptist W.M.U. Joann has faithfully led our W.M.U. organization for the past six years. The plaque was presented in loving appreciation for dedicated leadership as our Associational W.M.U. Director from 1982-88. Mrs. Suddreth led the congregation in singing the W.M.U. Centennial Hymn.
66. Rev. Robert Livingston led the congregation into the Brazil Partnership Report. He led in prayer and read scripture from Acts 16:9. After a challenging report, he asked the other Brazil mission volunteers to share with the people what God had done and could do in Brazil. The Brazil mission volunteers who were present and shared with the congregation were: Rev. Glenn Walker, Jerry Bentley, Rev. Frank Denning and Rev. Dale Fisher. The report concluded with a challenge from Rev. Fisher to all Caldwell Baptists to go to Brazil and share the good news of Jesus Christ with the Brazilians.
67. Rev. Fisher recognized all those present who had been a mission volunteer in any form in the past year. He closed with prayer and a challenge to everyone to be on mission for the Lord this coming year.
68. The evening session was adjourned with prayer led by Rev. Robert Livingston.

FOURTH SESSION

**Temple Hill Baptist Church
Friday, September 23, 1988**

69. Organist, Nancy Coffey and Pianist, Linda Reid provided a program of music as messengers and visitors gathered at the Temple Hill Baptist Church for the final session of the 104th Annual Meeting of the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association.
70. Brooks Walker led the congregation in singing "*Serve the Lord with Gladness.*"
71. Rev. Dan Redding led the association in worship and prayer. He read from I Chronicles chapter 16 verse 20-31.
72. Rev. Hugh Kincaid, Pastor of the host church, extended a welcome from the host church.

73. Dr. Billy Rivers read the following statement made by the Constitution and Bylaws Committee:

The 1987-88 Constitution and Bylaws Committee was asked by the messengers of the 1987 Annual Meeting of the association, upon recommendation of the Strategy Planning Committee, to update the current Constitution and Bylaws and to present a revised Constitution and Bylaws during the 1988 Annual Meeting of the association. This work has been completed.

Dr. Clifton Black moved for the adoption of the Revised Constitution and Bylaws. Rev. Frank Colburn seconded the motion and the floor was open for discussion. Motion was made and approved that the amendment presented by the Personnel Committee be added to the Revised Constitution and Bylaws. After a period of discussion, vote on the Revised Constitution and Bylaws was taken. The Revised Constitution and Bylaws was approved and became effective on October 1, 1988.

74. Rev. Frank Colburn presented the Annuity Board Report. It was approved as printed.
75. The Family Life and Public Concerns Report, presented by Rev. Michael Isaacs, was approved as printed.
76. During the period for miscellaneous business, Dale Fisher presented the following recommendation from the Associational Council for Terry Barnes:
- That the words "Enhance the Fellowship" be added to the associational logo and that the logo be accepted as the official logo of the Caldwell Baptist Association. It was approved.
77. Brooks Walker led the congregation in singing "*Take My Life and Let It Be.*"
78. The Director of Missions Report was presented by Rev. Dale Fisher. He thanked everyone for their hard work in the past year and encouraged everyone to continue to work and grow.
79. Dr. Clifton Black presented the Evangelism Report. The report was approved.
80. Hill Lackey presented the Committee on Committees and Committee on Nominations Report. Mary Suddreth asked that pianist Merle Chapman and song leader Audrey Smith's names to be added to the list of W.M.U. officers. Motion was made and seconded to accept the report with the added names. It was approved.
81. Ann Hatton gave the Enrollment Report on behalf of Margaret Benfield. There were 221 registered for the first session, 119 for the second session, 182 for the third session and 140 for the final session.
82. Barbara Fisher gave the Annual Minutes Report. She stated that the 1989 minutes would be available in January at the Winter Quarterly Meeting.
83. Rev. Willard Jenkins gave the Ordination of Ministers Report. The following men were examined by the Associational Ordination Council this past year: Tom Bentley, from Mountain Grove Church, Jerry Smith from Livingston Memorial Church and E.L. Brown from Clarks Chapel Church. The report was approved as printed.
84. Rev. Dale Fisher presented the Resolution Committee's Report on behalf of Jim Hamby. The following items were added to the report:
- a. Frank Denning's name should be added to Resolution number 4.
 - b. The phrase "and the 75th anniversary of the Caldwell Associational W.M.U.," should be added to Resolution number 9.
- The report was approved with the additions.

85. Dr. Paul Childers presented the Time, Place and Preacher Report. It was approved as printed.
86. Installation of officers was conducted by Rev. Fisher. He asked all officers to stand while he shared scripture and prayer with them.
87. Rev. Herbert McCoy presented the Obituaries Report. As the congregation stood together, Rev. McCoy read scripture and led in prayer as they reflected on those who had died this past year.
88. Dr. Rivers introduced the special speaker for the closing message, Dr. Thad Dowdle.
89. Special music was provided by Brooks Walker.
90. Dr. Thad Dowdle brought the closing message. He read scripture from the book of Genesis chapter 22 beginning with verse 1. The title of his sermon was "All on the Altar." He challenged everyone present to have a total commitment to God.
91. Dr. Billy Rivers led the benediction and the 104th Annual Meeting was adjourned.

WRITTEN REPORTS

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY REPORT

Mrs. Ruth Greene
Baton Baptist Church

The longstanding and fruitful partnership between the Southern Baptist Convention and the American Bible Society continued to open new ways to the Word for millions of people across the globe in 1987. Many successful projects were undertaken in the ongoing task of meeting the Scripture needs of the world — whether through expanded distribution or through innovative channels of Scripture production or through new translations.

The American Bible Society has been involved in the distribution of the Scriptures in at least 665 different languages throughout the world. The total number of scriptures distributed worldwide during 1987 was 624,053,932 copies. This represents an increase of 4.0 percent over 1986 and the trend continues upward. Of this total, 116,155,119 copies were distributed in the United States, an increase of 15.6 percent over last year's total.

One of the major highlights of 1987 in Scripture production was the completion of the Amity Printing Press in Nanjing, the People's Republic of China. The first 20,000 copies of an initial order for 100,000 Chinese Bibles were off the press by November, with the balance to be completed by January. This was an answer to prayers of many years for a way to share the Scriptures with Christians in China.

Ongoing Scripture translations projects are proceeding in an additional 573 languages. In 1987, complete Bibles were published for the first time in the Ayacucho Quechua language of Peru, the language of Tuvalu, an island nation in the South Pacific, and in Karo Batak, one of the several dialects spoken on the Indonesian island of Sumatra. There were also many first-ever publications of Testaments and individual Biblical books.

Reports from various countries around the world in 1987, many suffering from the ravages of war, hunger and oppression, illustrate the wide diversity of populations, with their own particular Scripture needs being served by the Bible Societies. These countries include Uganda, Peru, Haiti, Lebanon, Indonesia, and many countries in Eastern Europe — Poland, Hungary, Romania, Soviet Georgia, Czechoslovakia, and also the Soviet Union.

In the United States, the American Bible Society has been reaching out with God's Word to people across the nation. To mention just a few ways this was accomplished in 1987 would include Scriptures for youth and children, Scriptures for evangelism, and Scriptures in languages other than English.

The Society's unswerving goal is to reach the people of the world with the Word of God. There is a need for Bibles for Buddhist temples, for East Africa, for the islands of the East Caribbean, for the SADAR program ("One Bible for every home" in Indonesia), for all people who sit in darkness to be reached with the "Blessed Gospel Light." Since the Southern Baptist Convention ranks above every other denomination in terms of financial assistance it renders to the American Bible Society, our challenge is great to help meet a sometimes overtaxed resource. May God help us meet the challenge.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Ruth Greene, Representative

ANNUAL MINUTES REPORT

Mrs. Barbara F. Fisher
Mount Zion Baptist Church

The Annual Minutes of the Caldwell Baptist Association serve as a historical record of the life and work of Caldwell Baptists. A tremendous amount of hours are given each year to meticulously prepare the material that goes into each edition.

Information is only good when it is used. Make it a practice to read the minutes so that you will be an informed Caldwell Baptist.

The 1988 Annual Minutes will be available in early 1989. The cost per copy is \$3.75.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Barbara F. Fisher, Chairman
Annual Minutes Committee

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

Rev. R. Frank Colburn
Lower Creek Baptist Church

The Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention is one of the greatest departments of our Convention. It has helped hundreds of pastors, pastor's widows and other church staff members through its existence.

No church should fail to see that the pastor and staff workers are in the Annuity Board Plan. It will not only help those who participate in it but it will also help the church in case a pastor becomes disabled, from having the responsibility of caring for him and his family.

The expanded plan of the Annuity Board, which began January 1, 1988, offers every participant a much better plan for retirement than the old plan. At present the Annuity Board is paying out each month over \$18,000 to the recipients.

If your church is interested in enrolling your pastor in the Annuity Plan, please call Rev. James Lambert at the Baptist State Convention Building, toll free. The number is 1-800-222-8478. I hope you, as a church, will not put it off. Do it today!

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. R. Frank Colburn,
Representative

ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL REPORT

Terry Barnes, Chairman
College Avenue Baptist Church

The goal of every pilot is to have his aircraft depart on time and arrive at his intended destination on time, with the most uneventful flight possible between the two. This, too, has been our goal as the Associational Council. To provide an exciting and full year of activities with the least amount of scheduling conflicts possible.

To achieve this, the council met four times this year before the Executive Committee meetings to coordinate calendar activities. Although there were a few activities that overlapped, over all the ride has been smooth. Also, as with any flight, the pilot is only one of a host who make the trip possible. The men and women who head the various organizations represented on the council were prompt and responsible. It is not always easy to secure dates, times and locations in time to get them on the calendar, but most did. We owe them a special thanks. We also owe our flight controller, Dale Fisher, a special thanks for keeping us on track this year. This is the last flight of the Associational Council as we have known it. Beginning next year it will be composed of the Associational Officers and personnel, Program Directors, Strategy Committee Chairman and Finance Committee Chairman. The Director of Missions will chair the new council.

Thank you all who served on this year's council and we hope you will travel with us again soon.

Respectfully submitted,
Terry Barnes, Chairman
Associational Council

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA REPORT

Mrs. Donna Lail
Dudley Shoals Baptist Church

You took the time, you cared. You gave much when you didn't have to. In behalf of Dr. Blackwell, the children in care, our staff and trustees, thank you for your prayers, your caring and financial support. You are special to this child care ministry.

A major thrust beyond our quality child care this year was the completion of our Long Range Plans. To continue being bold in child care, several challenges were accepted by our staff and trustees from the results of our five-year LRP. We plan to add two emergency care homes. The Cameron Boys Camp will be expanded to care for 50 boys. Two specialized small group homes will be opened by early 1989 — a teenage mother-baby home and a behavior change program for teenage girls in Lenoir.

Fifty percent of our children have had little or no spiritual training prior to their being in our care. We rejoice that 79 were baptized into the family of God. Our ministry is "missions in miniature."

To meet these challenges and continue the current ministry to children, our budget must move from 7 million dollars (which it has been for five years) to 11 million dollars by 1992-93. We hope that by 1993, the Baptists of North Carolina will be giving fifty percent of our daily operating budget. Currently, we receive 34 percent. This can be achieved by increasing church receipts through the Cooperative Program, the Homes & Hospital Offering and designated gifts from churches and individuals.

Update from the Hickory-Lenoir Family Services Center:

This has been an exciting year. A partnership between Caldwell County Department of Social Services and Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina is imminent. Two substantial financial gifts have enabled BCH to purchase a house for the behavior change program in Lenoir and another house for the teenage mother-baby program also in Lenoir. The partnership calls for equal financial responsibility with the Baptist Children's Homes also providing the program and staff. The Hickory-Lenoir office will be moved to the Noel Home in Caldwell County.

Katrina Shields joined the Hickory-Lenoir staff as a social worker in August providing much-needed assistance with the increasing number of applications for all BCH ministries. Group meetings for parents of boys at Cameron Boys Home have proven helpful to staff, boys and parents.

The future of child care in North Carolina is in the hands of the Baptists of our great state. We believe they will meet the challenge.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Donna Lail, Representative

BAPTIST CENTER COMMITTEE REPORT

Harold Beach
First Baptist Church Lenoir

The Baptist Center Committee was asked by the messengers of the 1987 Annual Meeting to study the possibility of purchasing for the Baptist Center a computer system, satellite system and participation in the Baptist Telecommunications Network. A host of meetings were held to discuss these possibilities.

The committee decided to wait on the purchase of a satellite system for the Baptist Center and participation in BTN. A subscription to BTN for an association the size of Caldwell is very expensive and the committee felt that the service would not be used enough to justify the cost at this time.

A favorable decision was reached by the committee in regards to a computer system. It is believed that a computer system will improve the efficiency of the association tremendously. The Baptist Center is a place of information and a computer system would greatly enhance the quantity and quality of needed information.

General maintenance of the Baptist Center has been completed throughout the year. Tommy Green continues to serve as custodian for the building.

A new vacuum cleaner and a copier were purchased for the building. In addition, the collection of portraits for all of the Caldwell Baptist Associational missionaries was completed during the year. Also a sign for the yard to identify the association has been ordered. The lettering and the logo on the building will be removed, cleaned, refinished and replaced. The lettering will be rearranged to read "Caldwell Baptist Center" which will better identify the building. Lettering for the interior doors was also ordered to identify the various rooms.

This has been a busy year but a good one for the Baptist Center Committee. Thank you for letting us serve the association.

Respectfully submitted,
Harold Beach, Chairman
Baptist Center Committee

BAPTIST FOUNDATION REPORT

Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell
First Baptist Church Lenoir

There are a number of ways that the North Carolina Baptist Foundation can be of help to individuals and to the churches.

First: Estate Stewardship — example Mrs. Montagress Mercer, deceased, it was her wish that “Lottie” should have her farm. To accomplish that, the farm was deeded to the Foundation but she retained all benefit from it for as long as she lived. That which she desired is now a reality: the income from her trust will be paid forever to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. It is incidents like this which tell the story of Baptist Foundation. Facts, figures and statistics have their place, but the people behind them are the real story.

Second: The Foundation is helping to analyze a person’s total estate picture and assisting them in their complete plan of estate stewardship. Sometimes a person only wishes to make a modest gift in trust for one specific cause and then is content. Often, however, the person realizes that both his family and Baptist causes he loves can derive a greater benefit from his estate, if his plan includes all of it. It is in total estate stewardship planning, not in “getting a gift,” that the Foundation renders the greatest service.

Third: The “unfunded” trust simplified planning for many persons provide a way to help meet the objectives of many stewards. The trust document is prepared to incorporate the provisions of the trustor’s wishes, and will not take effect until the individual is deceased. Through this plan the individual has the joy of having a plan in place, all signed and legal.

Example: Marjorie has updated her will this year and created an “unfunded” trust. At her death, her entire estate will fund her trust. For a definite period of time thereafter, her family will receive income from the trust. At the end of those years, the income will support Baptist work forever. As a result her church established a Foundation trust whose income, when it is received by the church, will support local missions, the Lottie Moon Offering, a Church Scholarship Fund and assist with capital improvement and maintenance of its historic building. Marjorie named that church trust fund as the beneficiary of her unfunded trust.

The Baptist Foundation added 62 new trust funds to its numbers in 1987. Gifts increased its holdings to a record \$14,452,258. Trusts already in place provided \$578,697 in support of Baptist causes. As important as these statistics are, a significant aspect of the Baptist Foundation program is that it provides individuals, such as Mrs. Mercer, with an avenue for continuing their support of Christian causes beyond their lifetime.

We are happy that we have some people in the Caldwell Association who have taken advantage of using the Foundation. Edwin S. Coates, Executive Director and Robert Howard, President and Chairman through the North Carolina Baptist Office in Cary, North Carolina will be happy to provide anyone assistance if they would like to take advantage of same.

Most of this report was taken from the one provided by the North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Richard Howard, President and Chairman and Edwin S. Coates, Executive Director.

Respectfully submitted,
Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell,
Representative

BAPTIST HOSPITAL OF NORTH CAROLINA REPORT

Rev. Kenneth R. Little
College Avenue Baptist Church

Perhaps the word which best sums up the past year at Baptist Hospital is expansion — expansion of facilities and services.

The hospital, together with the Bowman Gray School of Medicine, is still in the midst of the largest health related expansion program ever in North Carolina. The \$140 million project has seen the completion of a four-story MRI building, the completion of a six-story addition to its research building, the completion of an addition to the power plant, completion of additional parking space, the near completion of a fifteen-story patient tower, and the beginning of a new clinical services building.

New programs in health care, initiated in recent months, include the Brenner Children's Hospital, the Sticht Center on Aging, a new hand center, ligament transplants, new methods of treating certain types of cancer, new procedures for helping patients with heart problems, and the beginning of Air Care International.

During the past fiscal year, the total hospital revenue budget has been \$181 million. Total personnel is over 3,800. There were 22,085 patient admissions for a total of 196,554 patient care days. Some 13,680 surgical procedures were performed including 1,022 open heart operations and 32 kidney transplants. There were 282,907 radiological procedures, 4,401,552 clinical laboratory tests, 14,500 chemotherapy treatments, 833 lithotripsy treatments, and 480 Air Care Missions.

The Department of Pastoral Care continues its ministries to: the patient; the family and friends of patients; the medical staff; the persons requesting counseling; the ministers who seek our courses in clinical instruction, equipping them for specialized and pastoral ministries.

Added to these are our "Pastors' Sabbath" and "Interim Church" programs. . . . as we work closely with the North Carolina Baptist State Convention in addressing the needs of pastors and churches.

During the past fiscal year, Baptist Hospital received \$659,062 through the Cooperative Program and \$290,585 through the Homes and Hospital Offering. The trustees, staff and patients are all grateful for this financial support.

Respectfully submitted,
Kenneth R. Little, Representative

BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA REPORT

Clarence Prestwood
Miller Hill Baptist Church

The Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina, Inc., began operation in 1951 with a charge to provide a Home for "Aged Saints" in the spirit of Christian care. The mission of the Homes continues to be that of providing quality residential opportunities for Older Adults within a Christian context.

The hallmark of the Homes' ministry is the quality of its care. It is a distinction that is present at all levels, in all locations, in all services. The Homes operates facilities in locations across the State: Asheville in the West, Hamilton in the East, Yanceyville in the North, and Albemarle in the Southern Piedmont. A multi-level care facility in Winston-Salem currently services the needs of Older Adults from all over the State.

According to a January, 1987 Report of the Office of State Budget of the State of North Carolina, the number of North Carolina citizens age 65 and over will increase by 203,935 (28.9%) by 1995 and 286,831 (40.6%) by the year 2000. Statistics for the North Carolina Baptist Older Adult Population are even more dramatic. Attempting to address this great challenge, the Baptist Retirement Homes has launched a bold new program of development and ministry that includes the following:

1. **THE DEVELOPMENT OF REGIONAL CONTINUING CARE RETIREMENT COMMUNITIES.**
A five-level continuing care retirement community (Brookridge) is now under construction in Winston-Salem. Land for that same purpose has been purchased in South Charlotte. Planning for the development of similar communities has begun in Asheville and in Eastern North Carolina.
2. **THE DEVELOPMENT OF A HOME HEALTH CARE MINISTRY.**
In 1988, the Homes received a grant to study the feasibility of establishing a volunteer-based Home Health Care program that will enable frail Older Adults to continue to live independently in their homes with some assistance. The Homes believe there is an enormous segment of the Older Adult population that is not yet in need of residential care but does need the kind of "light nursing" that this concept of Home Health Care provides.
3. **THE DEVELOPMENT OF FINANCIAL SUBSIDIES FOR RETIRED MINISTERS AND MINISTERS' SPOUSES AND OTHER OLDER ADULTS WITH LIMITED FINANCIAL RESOURCES FOR RETIREMENT LIVING.**
A large number of Baptist Older Adults requiring service within a residential environment cannot afford the cost of that care. Particularly does this seem to be true for a large number of retired pastors and their spouses. The Homes feels a particular commitment to these individuals and has responded as much as the parameters of its Benevolent Care Program will allow. New sources of funding must be found if this great need is to be met.

As we move into 1989, opportunities for creative ministry with Older Adults abound. With the support of North Carolina Baptists, the Baptist Retirement Homes will endeavor to turn those opportunities into the kind of reality that will meaningfully service the needs of the Older Adults of our State.

Respectfully submitted,
Clarence Prestwood, Representative

BRAZIL PARTNERSHIP REPORT

Rev. R. Dale Fisher
Mt. Zion Baptist Church

The messengers of the 1987 Annual Meeting overwhelmingly approved a motion from the Missions Committee that the association enter into a five-year partnership with an association in Brazil, January 1988-December 31, 1992. The link between the two associations is a part of the larger partnership between the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Baptist State Convention of Sao Paulo, Brazil.

The purpose of the partnership between the two state conventions and individual partnerships between associations in North Carolina and Sao Paulo is to help Brazilian Baptists begin and strengthen 1,000 new churches by the end of 1992. This will be done through personal witnessing, evangelistic services and construction of church buildings.

The Osasco Baptist Association in Sao Paulo was selected as the partner for the Caldwell Association. Craig Steele and Ellen Steele are currently serving as missionaries in this area of Brazil. They are out of the Lower Creek Baptist Church in Lenoir.

In November 1987, Robert Livingston, Chairman of the Missions Committee, and I travelled with a group of North Carolina associational and state leaders to Sao Paulo. The purpose of the trip was to orientate ourselves with the overall partnership and to meet with leaders in the respective associations in order to plan the individual partnerships. It was a very helpful experience that set the foundation for the five-year partnership.

Seventeen mission trips have been planned. One trip in 1988 and four trips each year beginning in 1989 and continuing through 1992. The trips are to consist mainly of evangelism and construction teams.

I led the first team to Sao Paulo August 6-17, 1988. There were five members of the team: Jerry Bentley (Mountain Grove), Rex Brown (Baton), Frank Denning (Friendship), Glenn Walker (Mt. Zion) and myself. We had a great trip! A total of 547 decisions for Christ were recorded during the evangelistic effort. These will be followed-up by the churches with whom we worked.

Please pray about your involvement in this partnership. Each trip will cost per person around \$1,400.00 and will last approximately two weeks.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. R. Dale Fisher

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

Larry Helderman
First Baptist Church Hudson

This has been a busy year for Baptist Men and Royal Ambassadors in Caldwell Association. In early October more than 50 men enjoyed an informative program on Homeland Missions at our Fall Prayer Breakfast. We want to thank the men of Lower Creek Baptist Church for being our hosts.

Later in October a large group of men attended our Brotherhood Leadership Workshop at First Baptist Church Whitnel.

Our Spring Baptist Men's Prayer Breakfast at First Baptist Church Hudson was not as well attended. The Disaster Relief program was excellent and the men who attended were challenged by an imposing close-up look at the Disaster Relief Van.

In May, our men rallied on two Saturdays to help our sister church, Grandin Baptist Church. A total of 58 from 15 churches pulled together to paint the exterior of the church.

Our R.A.'s enjoyed the R.A. Conclave at Mt. Zion Baptist Church. There were 132 in attendance.

Several men and boys competed in the R.A. Car Competition and two went on to the state level competition and made a very good showing.

R.A. Camparama at Tuttle State Park was not as well attended as we had hoped, but those who did attend had a wonderful time.

The R.A. Basketball league offered good fun and fellowship for those who participated.

In the coming year we hope to challenge more Baptist Men to participate in training events, fellowship activities and mission action.

Participation will be the battlecry for R.A. leaders and boys also. Particularly as we seek to reach young men through the new High School Baptist Young Men's program.

Respectfully submitted,
Larry Helderman
Associational Brotherhood Director

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT

Mrs. Jo Kincaid
Fellowship Baptist Church

Our Baptist colleges and universities in North Carolina are a source of top quality education. During the 1987-88 school year almost 18,000 students were involved in learning at our seven educational institutions. These institutions are served by more than 1,300 excellent professors who have the students best interests at heart.

We North Carolina Baptists can take pride in the fact that these fine educational institutions were each begun by Baptists and are supported financially by our gifts, tithes and offerings.

Besides educating the students enrolled in our colleges and universities, these institutions also minister to many Baptist groups. Doctrinal seminars, pastor support conferences, choir camps and festivals, pastor's schools, summer ministries orientation, retreats, senior adult rallies, workshops, Acteen, R.A., W.M.U., Baptist Men meetings, meetings of the N.C. General Board and committees all make use of the facilities and educational environment provided by colleges and universities.

North Carolina Baptist Men volunteers acted in partnership with one of our colleges in a mission effort. During the 1987-88 year the Baptist Men of North Carolina volunteered time and work in constructing a chapel on the campus of Mars Hill College.

Gardner-Webb College, Wingate College, Meredith College, Campbell University, Mars Hill College, Chowan College and Wake Forest University are Baptist institutions of higher learning of which we can be very proud.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Jo Kincaid, Representative

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

Rev. Stuart White
First Baptist Church Whitnel

Spiritual development follows spiritual birth, therefore every believer should be growing in the grace and knowledge of Jesus. Each believer should seek training to enable spiritual growth and each church should supply studies to assist individuals in developing spiritually. Church Training has as its major objective the development of believers for the work of ministry.

Based on this purpose, your Caldwell Associational Church Training Council has planned, promoted and conducted the following events to assist churches in preparation and motivation to equip believers.

1. *Associational "M" Night.* The First Baptist Church of Hudson hosted "M" Night 1988, with a total attendance of 511 persons from 24 churches. Banners were awarded to Hartland and Dudley Shoals Churches. Dudley Shoals received the Efficiency Banner for the largest percentage of Church Training enrollment present. Special recognitions also were given to Mt. Zion, Union and Crest View Churches for enrollment and attendance gains. Crest View received an Equipping Center Module of their choice for the largest over-all gain in Church Training.

2. *Developing Believers Conference.* A total of 38 persons from 15 churches met at Central Baptist Church for this time of training for Church Training Workers. The Conference was age-grouped with members of the Associational Church Training Council leading the session.

3. *Associational Youth Night.* Friendship Baptist Church hosted our annual Youth Night on March 19. We enjoyed music provided by a combined Associational Youth Choir, testimony of Youth from Caldwell Association and a challenge message by Reverend David Shorter.

4. *Associational Bible Drills/Speakers Tournament.* A special presentation of Bible Drills/Speakers Tournament was offered by members of the Associational Church Training Council at Crest View Church on November 7, 1987. A total of 30 children and youth from 7 churches participated in the Associational Bible Drills/Speakers Tournament on April 16, 1988.

Participants in the Children's Drills:

Baton Baptist Church: Reggie Cannon

College Avenue Baptist Church: Ross Cole

Crest View Baptist Church: Andy Coffey, Amy Robbins, Andy Robbins and Chris Robbins

Friendship Baptist Church: Eric Austin, Lisa Denning and Melissa Greene

Kings Creek Baptist Church: Myra Hatton, Daniel Jimp, Robert McCall, Karen Skipper, Ryan Smith and Isaac Waters

FBC of Whitnel: Nathan Gaines, Terri Lovins, Mandy Mikeal, Amy Triplett and Aaron White

Participants in the Youth Drills:

Friendship Baptist Church: Robbie Denning, Tamara Fox and Shane Greene

Harris Chapel Baptist Church: Lynette Cole, Jonathan Hardin, Traci Jackson and Angela Puett

Participants in the Youth Speakers Tournament:

FBC of Whitnel: Samuel White

The Associational Church Training Council consisting of Reverend Jack Sprinkle, Lynn Hawkins, Marlene Alexander, Mina Pritchard, Bobbi Watson, Donna Curtis and myself have shared a special fellowship as we have attended special training, planned and conducted Church Training events in the Caldwell Association and attempted to project for the future of Church Training in Caldwell Association. Thanks to a great team who have assisted very ably.

Please continue praying for the Church Training Program. Prepare and equip yourself and your church in order to do a more efficient job of ministry to our Lord.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Stuart White
Associational Church
Training Director

Congratulations to the following children and youth who participated in the Area and State Bible Drills, Youth Bible Drills and Youth Speakers Tournament in May 1988. Thanks for all the work and efforts by children, youth, parents and special workers. (Note — Single Asterick indicates Area Participants and Double Asterisk indicates State Participants.)

Children's Bible Drills:

Baton Baptist Church: **Reggie Cannon

College Avenue Baptist Church: **Ross Cole

Crest View Baptist Church: **Andy Coffey, **Amy Robbins, **Andy Robbins and
**Chris Robbins

Friendship Baptist Church: **Lisa Denning

Kings Creek Baptist Church: **Myra Hatton, **Daniel Jump, **Robert McCall,

**Karen Skipper, **Ryan Smith and **Isaac Waters

FBC of Whitnel: **Nathan Gaines, **Terri Lovins, **Mandy Mikeal, **Amy Triplett
and **Aaron White

Youth Bible Drills:

Friendship Baptist Church: *Shane Greene and **Tamara Fox

Harris Chapel Baptist Church: **Lynette Cole, **Traci Jackson and **Angela Puett

Youth Speakers Tournament:

FBC of Whitnel: *Samuel White

CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS COMMITTEE REPORT

Dr. Howard Hawkins
Lakeview Baptist Church

The 1987-88 Constitution and Bylaws Committee was asked by the messengers of the 1987 Annual Meeting of the association, upon recommendation of the Strategy Planning Committee, to update the current Constitution and Bylaws and to present a revised Constitution and Bylaws during the 1988 Annual Meeting of the association. This work has been completed.

Respectfully submitted,
Dr. Howard Hawkins, Chairman
Constitution and Bylaws Committee

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

Rev. R. Dale Fisher
Mount Zion Baptist Church

My family and I enjoy putting together picture puzzles. It is often overwhelming when the box is opened and hundreds of pieces of a picture lay waiting to be assembled. Piece by piece with patient endurance the picture begins to take shape until it is beautifully completed. This associational year has been similar to putting together a large puzzle of many pieces.

During the 1986-87 Associational Year, the Caldwell Baptist Association went through a process called "Strategy Planning." This process, produced by the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, was designed to help us as an association

of churches to identify our purpose, to discover needs within our churches and communities; and then, to plan definite actions to meet those needs based upon our identified purpose.

A twenty page booklet of recommendations was the outcome of the massive expenditure of time, energy, prayer, thought and hard work that were involved in the process. The messengers of the 1987 Annual Meeting overwhelmingly approved the recommendations presented by the Strategy Planning Committee. These recommendations represent many pieces of a puzzle when assembled together form a beautiful picture of a newly organized Caldwell Baptist Association.

This associational year has been the time to assemble the many pieces of this puzzle. The following pieces have been meticulously placed together during this year. The Constitution and Bylaws Committee has revised the current Constitution and Bylaws in order to clearly document the new organization. The Personnel Committee has updated or created job descriptions for all paid employees. The Ridgecrest Cottage Committee has been working on plans to renovate the Caldwell Baptist Cottage at the Ridgecrest Conference Center. The Baptist Center Committee has studied the possible purchase of a computer system, satellite system and participation in the Baptist Telecommunications Network. The Finance Committee has formulated a new budget format to correspond to the new organization. The Committee on Committees and the Committee on Nominations have labored together to select approximately 200 people to operate the new organization. Countless hours of meetings have taken place to put together these pieces to form the new organization. All of these projects were assigned to these various committees by the association.

The completed puzzle will be presented to the messengers of the 1988 Annual Meeting for their approval. If all the pieces are approved then a beautiful picture of a newly organized association will be unveiled effective October 1, 1988. This new organization will consist of a well defined governing body that will give the churches a greater voice in the decisions of the association; twelve committees and five officers who will carry out the administrative affairs of the association; fifteen program councils designed to assist the churches and their leaders with the work that our Lord left us to do; six fellowship groups with the goal of strengthening our relationships; paid personnel to work with all areas of the association; improved facilities that will offer better resources and more desirable meeting environments for our people; a new Constitution and Bylaws which will clearly identify and preserve the fundamental truths, basic beliefs and procedural matters of the Caldwell Baptist Association.

In addition to visiting in the churches; counseling with ministers, church leaders and others; preparing for our first of seventeen mission trips to Brazil and leading a group to Sao Paulo in August; dealing with the many administrative affairs of the association; preparing and delivering a host of sermons and lessons; helping to raise money for two group homes for girls in Caldwell County to be owned and operated by the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina; helping various church search committees to locate pastors and staff members; working with churches with special needs; dealing with churches seeking membership in the association; attending and/or leading several meetings and conferences; representing our association to the community; working with our Baptist State Convention on projects; having a new baby; and suffering through a kidney stone, I have assisted every group in putting together all the pieces of our new organization. These have been time-consuming and challenging responsibilities, but exciting and rewarding opportunities.

This has truly been a year of transition for the Caldwell Baptist Association. There seems to be a growing excitement about the changes that have been introduced. The

churches are becoming more and more involved in the work of the association. Giving is at an all-time high. Comments have been positive and constructive.

It is a great joy for me to be the Director of Missions of this association. This family of churches is blessed with people who are willing to attempt great things in the name of our Lord. I am so excited as He continually moves us forward. I am very excited about our new organization. We are now ready to launch into new areas of missions, ministry and evangelism as we continually seek to strengthen our current work.

The Caldwell Baptist Association has a great history and a good foundation on which to build for the future. Let us renew our commitment to building, doing and growing for our Lord as a family of churches united in Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. R. Dale Fisher,
Director of Missions
Caldwell Baptist Association

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE REPORT

Dr. Clifton Black
Mountain Grove Baptist Church

Our blessed Lord said in Acts 1:8, "But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Spirit is come upon you; and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and in Samaria and unto the uttermost part of the earth." The Word of God teaches that personal soul winning is the business of every Christian.

Yet, that message seems to be overlooked by many of our churches today. The good news is that Southern Baptist baptized 339,000 people in 1987. The sad reality is that last year, out of 37,286 Southern Baptist Churches, 7,244 churches did not baptize one soul.

In spite of the fact that some of our churches are not reaching the lost, the Gospel is still the power of God for salvation, as Paul stated in Romans 1:16. Techniques and methods of evangelism are not substitutes for the Gospel. Power comes from the all-powerful God, who releases it when it is preached. As the Gospel of Jesus Christ is proclaimed, its power begins to work and the result is salvation. When the lost come to Christ, the Gospel has done its highest work.

Humanity's greatest need is to find reconciliation and peace with God. That need can be filled in Jesus. The pictures of atonement in the ceremonial law were made reality in Jesus Christ. He is our sacrifice for sin. We have been told this great truth in II Corinthians 5:21, "He made Him who knew no sin to be sin on our behalf, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him." The great need in Caldwell County and throughout our Southern Baptist Convention is a burning passion for souls.

Respectfully submitted,
Dr. Clifton Black
Associational Evangelism Director

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

Mrs. Margaret Benfield
First Baptist Church Hudson

The first quarterly meeting of the Executive Committee of the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association was held at Calvary Baptist Church on November 17, 1987. Dr.

Billy G. Rivers was the Moderator. Twenty-seven churches were represented with 46 members in attendance.

1. Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as printed.
2. Organizational reports were received from the following: Treasurer, Church Training, W.M.U., Brotherhood, Media/Library, Music, Evangelism, and Sunday School.
3. The Sunday School ASSISTeam for 1987-88 was presented.
4. Special prayer was given for Rev. Dale Fisher and Rev. Robert Livingston who were in Brazil.

The second quarterly meeting of the Executive Committee was held on February 16, 1988, at First Baptist Church Whitnel. Dr. Billy G. Rivers was Moderator.

1. Minutes of the November meeting were approved as printed.
2. Organizational reports were received from the following: Church Training, Media/Library, Music, Seminary Extension, Sunday School, Treasurer and W.M.U.
3. Rev. Dale Fisher, Director of Missions, gave his report. He spoke of this being a time of challenge as plans for the future are being set into motion regarding our involvement in a 5-year missions project with Brazil, and the establishment of two group homes for teenage girls in Caldwell County. Appreciation was expressed for the involvement of pastors and lay persons in the fight against Liquor-by-the-drink; the Committee on Committees and the Committee on Nominations have been at work securing leadership for 1988-89; several key leaders attended a "Year of the Laity" retreat at Ridgecrest; other areas of interest and activity reported on were R.A. Basketball, Ministers fellowship, and involvement in January Bible Studies and Home Mission study. In conclusion, Rev. Fisher expressed appreciation for prayer and concern during a three-week battle with a kidney stone.
4. A special presentation was made on the work of Miss Ruth Keller, the first paid associational worker.
5. Rev. Robert Livingston presented information on fund raising for the Teenage Group Homes being established in Caldwell County. There are 5 levels of "gifting" to this project:
 - (a) Level 1 — "Grace Gifts" — \$100-499
 - (b) Level 2 — "Faith Gifts" — 500-999
 - (c) Level 3 — "Hope Gifts" — 1,000-4,999
 - (d) Level 4 — "Love Gifts" — 5,000 and above
 - (e) Level 5 — "Endowment Gifts"

Each church is asked to select a level of "gifting" and report it to the association. The final "Ingathering Day" for contributions will be August 7, and a report will be given at the August 16 meeting of the Executive Committee on total received. Other information was given regarding how to make a contribution, what will be done with it, and how the Baptist Children's Homes will acknowledge each donor. He concluded by listing the total Project Goals:

Church Challenge	\$150,000.00
Church Victory Plus	\$200,000.00
Endowment	\$1,000,000.00

Motion was made to approve these recommendations as presented by Rev. Livingston. Motion was seconded and passed.

6. In the absence of Mr. John Hawkins, Rev. Dale Fisher brought the following recommendations from the Nominating Committee:

- (a) The Nominating Committee recommends that Dr. Clifton Black assume the duties of Evangelism Director effective March 9, 1988, since Rev. Todd Morris has moved.

Motion was made to accept this recommendation. Motion was seconded and passed.

7. Rev. Don Ingle, Chairman of the Finance Committee, presented the following recommendations:

- (a) The Finance Committee recommends that the association contribute \$250.00 to the operating budget for the Caldwell County Prison Ministry, to demonstrate our support for their work.

Motion was made to accept this recommendation. Motion was seconded and passed.

- (b) We also recommend that \$250.00 be contributed to the "Concerned Citizens for Lenoir" to demonstrate support for this group and the resolution against "Liquor-by-the-drink" in Lenoir.

Motion was made to accept this recommendation. Motion was seconded and passed.

8. Rev. Dale Fisher and Rev. Robert Livingston gave highlights of the Brazilian partnership, under the following headings: Introduction; Invitation; Investigation, Interpretation; Inquiry; and Involvement. A question and answer period followed the presentation.

Thirty-one churches were represented with 64 members and 3 visitors present.

The third meeting of the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association met on May 17, 1988, at College Avenue Baptist Church, with Rev. Glenn Walker, vice-moderator serving as moderator, in the absence of Dr. Billy G. Rivers, Moderator. Forty-eight persons were in attendance, representing 29 associational Baptist churches.

Minutes of the previous Executive Committee meeting were approved.

Organizational reports were presented by each of the following Directors: Brotherhood, Church Training, Church Media/Library, Music, Sunday School, Treasurer, W.M.U. and Director of Missions.

Items of business were transacted as follows:

1. Miss Donna Curtis brought the following recommendations from the Committee on Nominations for Associational Leaders, 1988-89:

Brotherhood Director Larry Helderman, FBC Hudson
 Church Training Director Jack Sprinkle, Clarks Chapel
 Media Library Director Bobbi Watson, Miller Hill
 Music Ministry Director Brooks Walker, North Catawba
 Sunday School Director Don Ingle, Dudley Shoals
 Woman's Missionary Union Director Mary Suddreth, Clover
 Motion was made that these be elected. There were no nominations from the floor and motion was seconded and passed to elect these.

2. Rev. Howard Hawkins presented the Proposed Presentation Procedure of the Revised Constitution and Bylaws of the Caldwell Baptist Association.

Motion was made to accept these Presentation Procedures by the Constitution and Bylaws Committee. Motion was seconded. The question was asked, "What if there were changes at the September meeting?" Rev. Dale Fisher stated that they would come as a recommendation at the First session of the Annual Meeting. Motion was passed to accept these Presentation Procedures.

3. Rev. Robert Livingston brought the following report from the Missions Committee: In recent weeks the Missions Committee has been dealing with the New Life

Baptist Church, which is under watchcare of our Association, regarding the purchase of land for a permanent building site. The church has been offered a very attractive tract of land on the Walt Arney Road for the sum of \$50,000. There are 11.9 acres of land in this tract, which sits in a heavily populated and rapidly growing area. The New Life Church is eligible for a loan from the Church Extension Department of the Baptist State Convention for the full amount of \$50,000 at 9% interest for 10 years. Mr. Bob Watson, the director of the Church Extension Department, has met with the New Life Church on other matters and has assured us that the funds for this loan are available. Since the New Life Church is still under watchcare of the association, the Church Extension Department requires that the Association approve their request for this loan. This will be a transaction between New Life and the Church Extension Department of the Baptist State Convention and will not bind the association in any way to their negotiations. The Missions Committee has met on several occasions investigating every concern which we had and those expressed to us by others. We have met with pastors in the area of the Walt Arney Road, with individuals, and with the leadership of New Life Baptist Church. While we realized the decision related to their becoming a full member of the association would not be made until the Annual Meeting, we felt we needed to consider their commitment to the association and their intent to be a Southern Baptist Church before we recommended the approval of this loan agreement.

We also wanted to learn something about the need of another church in that community since Whitnel First Baptist Church and Central Baptist Church are both within a 2 mile radius of the property under consideration. The new Life Church has conducted a partial survey of the community. They contacted 224 homes and found 632 people, 253 of whom are unchurched. As a result of this and other factors, the leadership of New Life Church has expressed a strong conviction that God is opening up a door for ministry in this location.

After much investigation and many hours of deliberation and prayer, the Missions Committee strongly recommends that the Executive Committee of the Caldwell Baptist Association approve the New Life Baptist Church's request for a loan of \$50,000 from the Church Extension Department of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

Rev. Livingston asked that we be much in prayer for this congregation since they are without a pastor.

Motion was made and seconded to accept this report and recommendation. Motion was passed.

4. It was announced that the association had secured a Summer Worker, Miss Leslie Ford.

The fourth meeting of the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Associational Executive Committee met August 16, 1988, at First Baptist Church Rhodhiss.

Dr. Billy G. Rivers, Moderator, called the meeting to order.

Rev. Dan Redding, Associate Pastor of Dudley Shoals Baptist Church, gave the devotion, using Psalm 34:1-8 for the Scripture. He then led the group in prayer.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as printed.

Organizational Leaders presented their reports.

Business was transacted as follows:

1. Rev. Don Ingle brought these recommendations from the Baptist Center Properties Committee:
 1. To purchase a copier this year for the Baptist Center's use.

2. To erect a sign on the grass in front of the building to identify the associational office.
3. To build a literature display in the hallway of the Baptist Center. Motion was made to accept these recommendations. Motion was seconded and passed.
2. Rev. Don Ingle presented the following recommendations from the Finance Committee:
“A copier that will produce the copies needed in the work at the Baptist Center cannot be purchased for the amount of \$5,500.00 that was placed in the Budget last year for the purchase of a copier when needed. \$7,000.00 is needed for the purchase of a copier that we feel will do the job. The recommendation was: “To increase the amount of money designated to purchase a copier.”
Motion was made to accept this recommendation from the Finance Committee. Motion was seconded and passed.
3. Rev. Don Ingle explained that Rev. Dale Fisher, our Director of Missions, is in Brazil at this time. Rev. Fisher felt it very important that he go and help coordinate this work of the Sao Paulo five-year partnership. He planned to pay for the trip himself, even though it was going to be rather difficult for him; later he received a donation of \$1,000.00 for his trip. The recommendation was: “That we pay \$400.00 for Dale’s trip to Brazil.” (The total cost of the trip was \$1,400.00.)
Motion was made to accept this recommendation from the Finance Committee. Motion was seconded and carried.

Rev. Don Ingle urged the people to give money towards the teenage Homes of Caldwell County. He stated that at this time we have raised approximately \$30,000.00 towards our goal of \$150,000.00, that we had committed our association to raising to match the \$150,000.00 that was donated by the Broyhill Foundation of Lenoir, NC.

Rev. Don Ingle explained the Budget for 1988-89, that is to be presented to the Annual Meeting in September, 1988, stating that this Budget is prepared for 13 months rather than 12 months, in order to comply with the new system for our association beginning in October, 1988. There is a 15%* increase in this year’s Budget; a suggestion is made that each church give 3% of their Budget to the association.

Mr. Tony Johnson, from the King’s Creek Baptist Church, stated that this year’s Home Mission study, “A Church For Everyone” had impressed him and his wife so much that they felt led to start a ministry in the city of Lenoir. At this time they are meeting in an old building at 221 Main Street in Lenoir; their church is called “Open Door Baptist Church”; they are having 20 to 25 people each Sunday in attendance; three adults have been saved thus far; the realtor is letting them use this building rent free; someone donated money to purchase a piano and the Baptist Men from King’s Creek delivered it to their church. Their main objective is to enlist people who are not in church, not try to interfere with any of the local churches work. Mr. Johnson stated that they would like to come under the watchcare of the association, but it will probably be next year before they will be able to apply. He asked that if anyone could help this ministry in any way to please call.

There were 41 people registered at this meeting, representing 26 churches.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Margaret Benfield, Clerk

FAMILY LIFE AND PUBLIC CONCERNS REPORT

Rev. Michael Isaacs
First Baptist Church Hudson

The Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association is continually seeking avenues to better meet the needs of people throughout our county, state, and world. In hopes of fulfilling this task the Family Life and Public Concerns Committee is being replaced by two distinct councils: the Family Ministry Council and the Christian Life Council. This will provide more focused attention to the issues raised within the context of moral and social issues and issues concerning the ministry to families.

The Christian Life Council would inform the churches within our association of critical moral and social issues, and would lead in Christian action to meet those needs. This council would seek to develop good citizenship and healthy human relations. The council members will consist of a Christian Life Director, Christian Citizenship Director, Social Issues Director, Moral Concerns Director and Human Relations Director. From this council, possible projects ideas could be: lead association to be involved in social and moral issues, promote Southern Baptist Convention's special Christian life days and work on improving relationships between churches and denominations.

Understanding that families need biblical guidance and resources to help them withstand forces that bring family destruction, the Family Ministry Council will assist churches in developing ministry programs for the family. In our nation today many families are getting stronger. They are growing and being enriched. At the same time many families are breaking up, struggling with painful problems, and hurting worse than ever. J. Thomas Meigs, Associate Professor of Pastoral Care/Counseling at Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary says that "the family is an endangered species, and not even the Christian seems immune from this breaking down and coming apart of the home."

Special emphasis of the Family Council will be placed on ministry to preschoolers, children, youth, students, single adults, and median through senior adults. The Family Ministry Council will seek to follow God's plan for the family remembering Psalms 127:1, "Unless the Lord builds the house those who build it labor in vain."

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Michael Isaacs

FELLOWSHIP GROUPS REPORT

Rev. Jack Sprinkle
Clarks Chapel Baptist Church

Arise and eat; because the journey is too great for thee. (I Kings 19:7b)

For pastors and staff members, the one ongoing opportunity afforded us through our association for deriving strength for our tasks is our monthly Ministers' Conference. Building on the foundation laid by those who served before, this year's officers, in their quarterly planning, sought to provide programs designed to meet various needs as we perceived them.

We drew upon the expertise of two of our State workers, one missionary, a hospital chaplain, four of our retired ministers, one of our youth ministers, a pastor, and were blessed by a program of Christmas music led by our music leader. These programs seemed to have been well received by those in attendance.

Neither the Ministers Wives' Fellowship nor the Ministers and Wives Quarterly

Fellowship have been well attended. These two opportunities for strengthening our fellowship could be enhanced through a wider participation.

Officers who served this year, and to whom I am indebted are:

- Robert Livingston, Vice-President
- Paul Childers, Program Leader
- A.J. Singley, Secretary/Treasurer
- Sherrill German, Music Leader

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Jack Sprinkle, President
Ministers Conference

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

MINISTRY BUDGET

Caldwell Baptist Association
September 1, 1988 — September 30, 1989
(13 months budget)

I. ANTICIPATED RECEIPTS:

A. Undesignated Receipts (13 months)	\$128,365.00
B. Designated Receipts	
1. Annual Minutes	\$1,500.00
2. Baptist State Convention	1,000.00
3. Miscellaneous	2,500.00
4. Vacation Bible School	<u>500.00</u>
Total Designated Receipts	<u>5,500.00</u>
Total Anticipated Receipts	<u>\$133,865.00</u>

II. BUDGETED MINISTRIES:

A. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

1. Annual Minutes	2,400.00
2. Contingency (Memorials, Promotional Literature, etc.)	300.00
3. Media Library: Baptist Center	950.00
4. Office Expense (Postage, Printing & Supplies)	9,750.00
5. Properties	
a. Maintenance & Building Improvement .	4,500.00
b. Office Equipment (Computer, other) ...	7,000.00
c. Utilities	7,000.00
6. Treasurer	<u>2,600.00</u>

Total Administrative Services	34,500.00
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B. FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

1. Church Secretaries	100.00
2. Ministers Conference	200.00
3. Ministers/Wives Quarterly Fellowship	100.00
4. Ministers' Wives	100.00
5. Music Leaders	100.00
6. Retired Ministers	100.00
7. Youth Leaders	<u>100.00</u>

Total Fellowship Groups 800.00

C. GOVERNING (Associational Meetings)

1. Annual Meeting Meal	1,000.00
2. Miscellaneous; Speakers	<u>800.00</u>

Total Governing 1,800.00

D. MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAMS

1. Associational Council	250.00
2. Brotherhood Council	1,200.00
3. Christian Life Council	200.00
4. Church Training Council	1,100.00
5. Evangelism Council	700.00
6. Family Ministry Council	200.00
7. Media Library Council	200.00
8. Missions Development Council	200.00
9. Music Ministry Council	550.00
10. Pastoral Ministries Council	200.00
11. Prayer Council	200.00
12. Recreation Council	200.00
13. Seminary Extension Council	1,000.00
14. Stewardship Council	200.00
15. Sunday School Council	600.00
-V.B.S.	250.00
16. W.M.U. Council	<u>2,000.00</u>

Total Mission Performance Councils 9,250.00

E. PERSONNEL (See Footnote No. 1)

1. Salaries:	
a. Director of Missions	26,430.00
b. Administrative Assistant	18,850.00
c. Custodial Services	2,405.00
d. Office Help	700.00
e. Summer Worker	500.00
2. Benefits:	
a. Housing and Utilities	
-Director of Missions	10,290.00
b. Insurance	
(1) Director of Missions (Life,	
Medical and Disability)	3,790.00
(2) Administrative Assistant (Life,	
Medical and Disability)	3,250.00

c. Retirement	
(1) Director of Missions	5,510.00
(2) Administrative Assistant	2,830.00
3. Christmas Gifts:	
a. Director of Missions	475.00
b. Administrative Assistant	335.00
4. Ministry Expense:	
a. Conventions/Conferences	
-Director of Missions	1,200.00
b. Hospitality	300.00
c. Travel	
(1) Director of Missions	5,420.00
(2) Administrative Assistant	325.00
5. Payroll Taxes	
a. Director of Missions	2,390.00
b. Administrative Assistant	<u>1,415.00</u>

Total Personnel 86,415.00

F. SPECIAL MISSIONS

1. Alpha Omega	300.00
2. Brazil Partnership	300.00
3. Local Ministry	<u>500.00</u>

Total Special Missions 1,100.00

III. NON-BUDGETED MINISTRIES (Self Supporting):

- A. Caldwell Cottage
- B. Ministers Support

TOTAL 1988-89 MINISTRY BUDGET \$133,865.00

Footnotes:

1. This budget covers a 13 month period. Figures for weekly or monthly expenditures (Such as: utilities, salaries and benefits) should be divided by 13 and then multiplied by 12 to determine the actual annual budgeted amount for each item.
2. It is suggested that churches contribute 3% of their budget to associational missions.

FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

Miss Stella Austin
Kings Creek Baptist Church

The theme of the Foreign Missions Conference in 1988 *Accepting the Challenge, Completing the Task* emphasizes the aim of the Foreign Mission Board as it continues to seek to bring the gospel to all peoples in every country of the world. To this end there is a continued emphasis on *prayer*.

Special concerns include:

1. Countries where visas are being denied to missionaries.
2. Limited access to countries where missionaries cannot live and work.

3. A reduction in funds received. The Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, which has not reached its goal the last few years, supplies 43.1% of the budget, while the Cooperative Program supplies 39%. Income from investments, designated and special gifts and hunger and relief funds was down. This has necessitated a 12½% cut in the budgets of all countries, as missionaries plan their work, limiting the growth that they might wish. In 1987, 58% of funds received were used for missionary support with the next highest percentage on the field going to evangelism and church development.

1987 Highlights

Baptisms — One baptism per 10.5 members for a record 203,824 baptisms in Southern Baptist-related churches overseas.

Churches — Close to 3 churches started per day — 1,070 for the year — for a total of 17,769.

Missionaries — 3,839 missionaries working in 112 countries. As of July, 1988 there are 3,882 missionaries in 113 countries.

Volunteers — 7,618 volunteers going overseas to reinforce foreign mission work.

Theological education — 26,072 students in theological training.

Meeting human needs — Almost \$8 million sent to 44 countries for hunger relief and disaster response.

Let us accept the challenge and help complete the task of winning the world to Christ by continuing to pray, by increasing our gifts to the Cooperative Program and the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, and by going as volunteers or as career missionaries, as the Lord calls.

Respectfully submitted,
Miss Stella Austin, Representative

HISTORIAN'S REPORT

Mrs. J. Mack Moore
First Baptist Church Granite Falls

Central Baptist Church
Rev. Frank Colburn, Interim Pastor

Central Baptist Church of Whitnel was organized on January 15, 1938. A group had been meeting in the home of Rev. J.H. Crisp with the purpose of organizing a church. Three deacons, J.E. Taylor, W.C. Lutz and W.H. Livingston and the Rev. J.H. Crisp composed the presbytery which organized the church with 16 charter members. On the night of organization 44 others joined, making a total of 64 members.

J.M. Smith, R.S. Taylor and H.A. Craig were elected deacons and the Rev. J.H. Crisp was asked to serve as supply pastor, later in 1942, he was called as regular pastor. Joe Smith was the first Superintendent of the Sunday School, Carl Swanson was the first Music Director, and Rev. Carl Roberts was the first elected pastor.

Following Rev. Roberts as pastor was Rev. Dexter Crouch, Rev. J.H. Crisp, Rev. J.J. Buckner, Rev. C.H. Kincaid, Rev. Roy Collins, Jr. and Rev. Todd Morris. Serving as interim pastors were Rev. Masten Bradshaw, Rev. Lloyd Black and Rev. Fred Price.

Rev. Frank Colburn is now serving as our interim pastor. He came following the resignation of Rev. Todd Morris in February 1988.

The first building built to house Central Baptist Church was a wooden structure built by the first 64 members and was referred to as the "Tabernacle." The first service was held in it on January 22, 1938, only one week after its organization. In 1948 a new sanctuary was built, following its completion a two-story Educational Building was annexed to it. More room was needed by 1959, so a "new" Educational Building was built and is joined by a breezeway to the other structure. By 1969 a new sanctuary was needed but instead of building a new building the present structure was remodeled and enlarged. The adjoining property owned by Barringer Oil Company was purchased in 1984. Their office building was remodeled and now houses the Church Administrative Offices. A Family Life Center was built on part of this property. The first service in it was our Homecoming in 1985.

Central Baptist Church is fully organized with Sunday School, Church Training, W.M.U. and Brotherhood.

The church has been host to the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association in 1948, 1956, 1971 and 1976. We look forward to being your host in 1988.

Central Baptist Church has grown from 64 members to more than 700, we are so thankful for all the blessings God has bestowed upon us and because of His many blessings we will celebrate our 50th Anniversary this year at our Homecoming in September.

FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. James Hamby, Pastor

On Sunday morning, August 11, 1981, 11 people met at the residence of Marcus Sullivan in Hudson, North Carolina for the purpose of Bible study and worship.

On October 11 of that year, this group, along with those whom the Lord had added, chartered FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH with 24 members. James W. Hamby was called as the first pastor during the evening service on the same day.

The members of Fellowship voted to affiliate the church with the Southern Baptist Convention and the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association and petitioned the Association for membership in November 1981. The church was taken under the watchcare of the association in September 1982, then accepted into full membership on September 23, 1983, during the 99th Annual Session of the Association.

In March 1982, three acres of land were purchased on Fairwood Drive in Hudson's Olde Farm Development for the future site of the church. Ground was broken in April 1982, and the first building was dedicated to the glory of God on August 8 of that same year.

The church continued to grow steadily and in September 1985 voted to build a new sanctuary and convert the sanctuary in use to educational space for Sunday School. The new sanctuary adjoining the first building was occupied on Easter Sunday, March 30, 1986, with 182 people gathered for worship.

Presently the two hundred plus members continue to uplift Christ and advance His kingdom through their spirit of fellowship. A Planning Committee is at work to plan for the physical needs of the church as it continues to grow in number. The numerical growth is a result of the spiritual growth the church is experiencing.

TEMPLE HILL BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. C.H. Kincaid, Pastor

In 1938, after weekly prayer meetings in community homes, a small group of people met in an old building, on the site of the present church. The need for a new building encouraged the people to give, and in 1941 a building was built for their use which later was remodeled and is now the Frank Hayes home. One acre of land was purchased from Mrs. Nora Keller on which this building was built. In July 1946, the people voted to unite with the North Carolina Baptist State Convention. That same year a council was formed to organize the church known today as TEMPLE HILL BAPTIST CHURCH, also becoming a member of the Caldwell Baptist Association. Thirteen of the 31 charter members are surviving.

Rev. L.R. Davis was the first pastor and the Deacon Board consisted of 3 deacons. Rev. Davis served until 1951, and Rev. Henry Colvard was called as pastor for one year. Other pastors during the 1950's were Rev. Harley Coffey, Rev. W.E. Keller and Rev. L.R. Davis.

During this time a basement was constructed, and in 1955 an auditorium over the basement, which today houses Sunday School classes.

In 1959, the church built a parsonage. Rev. Davis was the first pastor to occupy the parsonage, which was completed in August 1960.

Rev. Henry L. McDuffie was called to pastor Temple Hill Baptist Church in 1960 and remained until his death in 1976. During this time, two more acres of land were purchased from Mrs. Nora Keller for a cemetery. In 1962, an educational addition of 13 Sunday School rooms, a choir loft, 2 restrooms, baptistry, new pews, and brick-ing the building was completed. In 1963 and 1964 more land was acquired for a large parking lot and a recreation area beside the parsonage.

Other highlights of the 1960's included purchasing the first bus and becoming debt free in 1966. In 1969, renovations were made to the parsonage, and with steady congregational growth, a building planning committee was formed to study the needs of the church. On September 1, 1969, the committee recommended to the church a sanctuary to seat 750 people with additional educational space. Also in 1969, the church voted to give ten percent of the budget to missions.

July of 1970 found the church stepping out in faith to begin the present sanctuary. It was completed and was dedicated on December 1971.

The church has grown from those first 31 members to a membership in excess of seven hundred.

Rev. C.H. Kincaid became pastor in 1980.

In 1981, the church was blessed by becoming debt free once again.

The church constructed a fellowship hall in 1982 at a cost of \$92,000.00.

Temple Hill Baptist Church presently has a complete mission education program from infants through senior citizens, teaching, giving and showing love in action.

The church presently contributes to the support of the several home and foreign missionaries, contributes to a prison ministry, and gives financial assistance to smaller churches.

"It has not entered into the heart and minds of men what God has in store for those that love Him . . ."

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. J. Mack Moore, Historian

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

Miss Ella Keller
First Baptist Church Granite Falls

According to the Home Mission Board Research Division, today more than 167 million lost people live in the U.S. and by 1990, the number may reach 175 million.

Committed to winning the U.S. to Christ, the HMB has 3,746 home missionaries serving in all 50 states, in Puerto Rico, American Samoa, Canada, and the American Virgin Islands.

The HMB has 1,343 language missionaries serving among 84 of the 200 language-culture groups in the U.S. in 87 languages. Among various language groups, 431 missions, Bible studies, and Sunday Schools were created. There are 327 missionaries serving in Christian social ministries and church and community ministries. The Church Extension Division placed 469 church starters and gave financial support to 1,764 congregations. The Mission Service Corps assigned 300 new volunteers, bringing the total in service to 1,089. Special Mission Ministries assigned 33,380 for short-term volunteer mission projects. In 1987, home missionaries spoke to 1,207,739 people during World Missions Conferences.

The number of endorsed chaplains and pastoral counselors is 1,902, an all-time high.

The HMB renews its commitment to the Bold Mission Thrust goal of sharing the gospel with every person in the U.S. by the year 2000. As we face the future, Larry Lewis, who was installed as the HMB's 15th president on July 28, 1987, hopes that more and more Southern Baptists will seek ways to become involved in church starting and church growth. "As more and more Southern Baptists catch the vision of that dream, Bold Mission Thrust goals will become much more than possibility. They will become reality!"

Respectfully submitted,
Miss Ella Keller, Representative

MEDIA/LIBRARY REPORT

Mrs. Bobbi Watson
Miller Hill Baptist Church

Our church media libraries are the support programs in our churches that undergird all the other programs. The people in our churches, as followers of Christ are growing toward a more mature walk with the Savior, by learning more about Him and how to witness of his love. We who support the church's mission of winning and equipping disciples are challenged to provide printed and audiovisual materials for Bible study, for members and leader training and for strengthening outreach to the church community. Do you want to know how to study your Bible, win a friend to Christ, teach a class more effectively, lead a group discussion, meet a family crisis or show the children in your church that learning about the Bible is fun? Your church library can help.

Our church media library directors and staff have met quarterly to equip ourselves to better serve you. Meetings were held at Union Grove, Center Grove, Mountain Grove and Crest View. We averaged 14 people in attendance from 10 churches. We added two new activities this year — a Christmas fellowship and an August shopping trip to the Baptist Book Store in Asheville. These activities were well attended.

Nine was the fantastic number that attended the State Library meeting at Caraway Conference Center. Union Grove, Center Grove, Mountain Grove, Miller Hill and

Temple Hill were represented. I attended the Key Leadership Conference at Ridgecrest for Associational Media Directors, also.

We are continually striving to improve the media/library services at the Baptist Center. We have added 11 new equipping centers this year. We now also have the Baptist Faith and Message on a set of video cassettes.

In this election year, we *campaign* to "equip the saints for the work of ministry, to build up the body of Christ." (Ephesians 4:12). Our *platform* is for every church to have the best educational ministry possible, this means to me, having a church library. The *issues* are to provide the best, up-to-date resources and equipment to do the most effective and efficient job possible. If we vote for these objectives we will have:

V - Victory for
O - Officers
T - Teachers and the
E - Elect

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Bobbi Watson
Associational Media Director

MISSIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. Robert Livingston
Yadkin Baptist Church

Your Missions Committee has had a very busy, challenging and fruitful year. Our committee members were very faithful and helpful through our regular meetings and, as our secretary recorded, all the other "special called urgent meetings" during the year.

Because of the wisdom and foresight of last year's committee in establishing the Minister's Support Fund, we were privileged and prepared to help ministers of our association in seven (7) different situations. The total amount of support given was \$4,100. This is a wonderful expression of love, care, and support from the association to its ministers.

During the called meetings in April the committee voted to call Leslie Ford as our Summer Worker. Leslie is a music major at Mars Hill College and a member of Yadkin Baptist Church. She has done a fine job as our Summer Worker.

A major emphasis this year has been our North Carolina/Sao Paulo Partnership. Rev. Fisher and Rev. Robert Livingston traveled to Sao Paulo Brazil in November and returned to share the tremendous needs and opportunities for ministry that are there. Some ambitious plans were developed that would send a number of Caldwell Baptists to Sao Paulo four times each year through 1992. The opportunities for ministries are in evangelism, construction, and training. On August 6, 1988, our first team left for Brazil to do Partnership Evangelism for two weeks. The next scheduled trip will be in April, 1989. Please pray for this work and be available to the Lord if He should lead you to go.

On February 11, 1988, the Missions Committee voted to recommend to the Executive Committee a plan for our churches to participate in funding the two Children's Homes facilities which are being located in Caldwell County. Our challenge was to raise \$150,000 through special projects and an associational wide Ingathering Day on August 7, 1988. We are grateful to Caldwell Baptists for supporting this cause. And we express our deepest thanks to the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina and the Department of Social Services for their cooperation in making these ministries possible in our county.

We presently have two churches under watchcare of the association, New Life Baptist Church and Free Spirit Baptist Church which is in its second year of watchcare. During the year we have had numerous contacts with the New Life Church. We have had open, frank, and helpful discussions with their leaders on various issues and concerns. They have demonstrated a very cooperative spirit in providing information to and support for the association. At their request this committee, the Director of Missions, and the Executive Committee have been able to help them in areas such as providing names to the Pastor Search Committee, securing a loan from the Baptist State Convention for a permanent building site, and securing convention literature for their organizations. At our August 11 meeting the committee voted to recommend to the association that New Life Baptist Church be granted full membership status.

The Free Spirit Church has been under watchcare for two years. At this time we still have not been able to establish a working relationship with the church. In hopes of doing so the committee voted to recommend to the association that Free Spirit Baptist Church be kept under watchcare for another year.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Robert Livingston, Chairman
Associational Missions Committee

MUSIC REPORT

Brooks Walker
North Catawba Baptist Church

How important is music in the Bible?

The answer to that question reveals to us how important music is to God. Did you know that Doug Jeffries' Musical Concordance of the Bible lists 263 scripture references to singing, singers and song; and that's only about a third as many references as can be found pertaining to various instruments. Music is very important, as evidenced by its frequent mentioning in the Scriptures. Thus, we may also say music is very important to God.

Music in our local church is more than something we do before we give offerings or hear sermons. Music is the artery which carries the blood of worship and praise right to the heart of God. Preaching and sharing the word of God is the strong right arm which God swings across the face of this earth and music is there pumping praise into every sinew.

Yes, music is important to God, the church, and the individual. Allow me to challenge the churches in the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association to actively pursue the equipping of your members with the musical talents and opportunities given to you. God calls us to be a total people. He asked for all we have to offer . . . all our knowledge, all our skills, and all our talents . . . and when he gives us a small portion he expects us to increase that talent and not bury it in the ground, waiting fearfully for his return.

The Music Council has once again attempted to give opportunities for the equipping and use of the talents in the Caldwell Association. Those opportunities range from the soloists and instrumentalists who performed at last year's annual meeting to the Adult Praise Sing held at College Avenue Baptist Church on August 23rd.

In between was the Children's Choir Clinic held at Meadowbrook Baptist Church July 25-28, and the Youth Choir Clinic which was hosted by Friendship Baptist Church on March 19th.

Mrs. Sylvia Pinson was our Children's Clinician with Leslie Ford as guest soloist.

Mr. Tim McSwain, of Penelope Baptist Church in Hickory, was our Youth Clinician this past year. I thank both of them for their work.

Were I to now thank everyone else who made this year's work possible, it would be necessary to publish another book for this report. So, instead, I will say thanks and give attention to the work that so many have done.

Thank you . . . Music Council, Organists, Pianists, Soloists, and other Instrumentalists, Church Music Directors, Hosts and Hostesses, Servers and Chefs of everything from hot dogs to oreos, Support Persons and Volunteer Directors.

And thanks be to God for the gift of talent, time and willingness to share. May God continue to bless this association with the skills, desires and opportunities to minister to others through music.

Respectfully submitted,
Brooks Walker
Associational Music Director

NORTH CAROLINA STATE MISSIONS REPORT

Rev. R. Dale Fisher
Mount Zion Baptist Church

North Carolina Baptists are actively involved in "changing lives through state missions." Ministering to the military, multiplying the effectiveness of ministry through bivocational ministers, helping the blind, reaching into the cities and building relationships through chaplaincy ministries are only a few of the ways in which lives are being touched by North Carolina Baptist ministering in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Each year a host of statewide training opportunities are provided by the state Sunday School, Church Training, Brotherhood, W.M.U., Music and the other organizations that all fit under the umbrella of state missions. In addition, the leaders of these organizations travel to churches and associations to deal with specific needs as requested.

Thousands of lives are enriched each year at Camp Caraway and Mundo Vista. In addition, the North Carolina Baptist Assembly at Fort Caswell continues to be improved. These facilities are vital training centers for North Carolina Baptists.

Get involved in state missions by going, doing, giving and praying as a North Carolina Baptist. Encourage your church to promote the "Week of Prayer for State Missions" in September each year. An offering for state missions is collected in conjunction with the week of prayer. The 1988 goal is \$1,600,000.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. R. Dale Fisher

ORDINATION COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. Willard Jenkins
College Avenue Baptist Church

The Ordination Committee met at the request of the Mountain Grove Baptist Church on January 11, 1988 to examine one of their members, Mr. Tom Bentley, as a candidate for the gospel ministry. Upon the committee's recommendation Mr. Bentley was ordained by the Mountain Grove Church to become pastor of the Grace and Truth Baptist Church in Burke County.

The Ordination Committee met on May 3, 1988, at the request of the Livingston Memorial Baptist Church to examine one of their members, Mr. Jerry Smith, as a candidate for the gospel ministry. Upon the committee's recommendation Mr. Smith was ordained by the Livingston Memorial Church and is now serving as their interim pastor.

The Ordination Committee met at the request of the Clark's Chapel Baptist Church on July 25, 1988, to examine Mr. E.L. Brown as a candidate for the gospel ministry. The committee recommended that the church proceed with his ordination. He will serve as a general evangelist of the Clark's Chapel Church and in Rest Home ministries and radio evangelism.

Each of these men gave testimony of their genuine born again conversion experience, a valid call from God to the gospel ministry, replied admirably to the usual doctrinal questions, were asked about their attitude toward cooperative Baptist missions and ministry, about their concept of the church and its ordinances, about their belief in and practice of Biblical stewardship, and their family's general attitude and support of their entrance into the gospel ministry. All answers were favorable and complementary, and verified by their pastors, each of whom were present and participated in the proceedings.

Respectfully submitted,
Willard Jenkins, Chairman
Associational Ordination Committee

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. Joel Sellers
Lower Creek Baptist Church

The principle task facing the Personnel Committee this year has been that of updating job descriptions for all associational employees. This task was mandated by the association last year as part of the reorganizational plan. Revised job descriptions are being presented to the current Annual Meeting for adoption.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Joel Sellers
Associational Personnel Committee

RELIGIOUS LITERATURE REPORT

Rev. Sherrill German
Yadkin Baptist Church

The Biblical Recorder

There is an old saying, "When Baptists know, Baptists will do." There is also an old saying, "Tell the truth and trust the people." The *Biblical Recorder* believes and tries to practice both!

In a rapidly changing world, it is more important than ever before that Baptists be well informed which is not easy in an age that is complex, busy and competitive. But we must never forsake the ideal.

Baptists, like the population in general, are watching more television and listening to more radio than they are reading. Somehow it just seems easier to watch and listen than read and think, but we must be informed and involved in the work of the Lord as Baptists do it . . . if we are to make progress.

For 155 years, the Baptist paper in North Carolina has issued a call to greater missions and greater commitment to the Commission of our Lord to win, teach and baptize persons.

As the *Recorder* informs, it also gives opportunity for Baptists to freely exchange points of view. Baptists do not have a hierarchical form of church government and operation. Every person is important and opinions are valid in direct proportion to the accuracy of information upon which they are based. Democracies do not survive without an informed people!

With all the upheaval in the world, the nation, and even in Baptist ranks, stability can be maintained only when good and sincere people know the truth and take their stand upon it.

To make it possible for as many people as possible to read the paper each week at the lowest possible cost, there will be no increase in subscription rates for 1988. If your church does not have the Every Family Plan, please consider it for 1989; the cost is only \$5.00 per subscription for the year. Special introductory offers are available. Please contact:

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God has given us a great opportunity and a great responsibility. Let us be informed about what is happening. Let us be involved in meeting the challenge, in being a part of the answer to take the Gospel to a lost world.

Respectfully submitted,
Sherrill German, Representative

RIDGECREST PROPERTY COMMITTEE REPORT

Miss Nora McGee
Meadowbrook Baptist Church

Some plumbing and repair work has been done at the cottage. The kitchen has been well supplied with dishes, cups, saucers, bowls, glasses and silverware.

Seven weeks were reserved this year and a number of weekends. We are planning to do quite a bit of renovation in the near future. We hope the Caldwell Churches will take advantage of this facility.

Respectfully submitted,
Miss Nora McGee, Chairman
Ridgecrest Property Committee

1988 RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. James W. Hamby
Fellowship Baptist Church

The Resolutions Committee recommends the following resolutions.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT WE EXPRESS APPRECIATION TO:

1. The host churches — Central Baptist, Fellowship Baptist and Temple Hill Baptist, and their respective pastors, who have so graciously hosted the 104th Annual Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association.
2. The Committee on Order of Business for their endeavor to make this an informative and inspiring meeting.
3. Our special program personalities: Rev. David Philbeck, Dr. Michael Blackwell and Dr. Thad Dowdle.

4. Our Brazil volunteers which include: Jerry Bentley, Rex Brown, Dale Fisher, Robert Livingston, Frank Denning and Glenn Walker, and to all of the churches that have supported this mission cause.
5. Dr. Billy Rivers, Moderator, Rev. Glenn Walker, Vice-Moderator, and to all of our associational leadership. In addition, we express our appreciation to Ann Hatton, our Administrative Assistant, for her effective and faithful work.
6. Rev. R. Dale Fisher, our Director of Missions, for his outstanding leadership and guidance of Caldwell County Baptists.
7. Miss Leslie Ford, our 1988 Associational Summer Worker, for her work with the association.
8. The 1987-88 Constitution and Bylaws Committee and to the 1987-88 Personnel Committee for their dedicated work in updating our Constitution and Bylaws and paid personnel job descriptions.
9. Joann Propst, our W.M.U. Director, and Elizabeth J. Campbell, our W.M.U. Centennial Chairperson, for their capable leadership during the centennial celebration of the national Woman's Missionary Union and the 75th anniversary of the Caldwell Associational W.M.U.
10. Our churches and other individuals for their generous support of the two group homes for girls in Caldwell County owned by the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina.
11. Our churches for their prayers, generous support and their commitment to the cause of Christ beginning in Caldwell County and extending throughout the world.

BE IT THEREFORE FINALLY RESOLVED THAT: We, the messengers of the 104th Annual Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association, commit ourselves to pray for and to work with our Director of Missions, in a united effort to minister to the spiritual and physical needs of people.

Respectfully submitted,
 Resolutions Committee
 Rev. James W. Hamby, Chairman
 Hovis Allen
 Mrs. Sue Smith

SEMINARY EXTENSION REPORT

James Coffey
 Lower Creek Baptist Church

Each year thousands of pastors and laymen continue their education by studying in Seminary Extension centers. Approximately 400 centers are located all over the U.S. and in several foreign countries.

Extension centers bring ministry training opportunities close to home, so students may study without disrupting their work and family life. This year students in the Caldwell Seminary Extension Center studied Ephesians and Philippians and the book of Mark.

In the upcoming year we have plans for six classes. We are excited about our Thursday morning classes as well as Thursday night classes. We hope this will give everyone a chance to take a class that wants to.

Perhaps the biggest "plus" of studying in a Seminary Extension Center comes through the fellowship and support of teachers and fellow students. Persons with similar needs

and interests come together on a regular schedule to hear lectures and share ideas about the lesson materials. Through this mutual encouragement, many students have found they do together what they might never have done alone.

Many thanks to the teachers and all the students who made this a great year of learning in Seminary Extension.

Respectfully submitted,
James Coffey
Associational Seminary Extension
Director

STATISTICIAN'S REPORT

Ann Hatton
Kings Creek Baptist Church

COMPARISONS	1985	1986	1987	1988
Churches	69	69	69	71
Church Members	25,107	24,866	25,412	25,700
Baptisms	693	537	513	632
Additions by letter	775	681	660	555
Total additions	1,468	1,218	1,173	1,187
(Letter & Baptisms)				
Sunday Schools Enrollment	13,630	14,599	14,818	15,051
V.B.S. Enrollment	6,614	6,538	6,294	6,589
Church Training Enrollment	3,419	3,685	3,858	4,063
W.M.U. Enrollment	2,791	2,690	2,861	2,811
Baptist Men Enrollment	1,693	1,612	1,709	1,439
(Men & R.A.'s)				
Music Enrollment	3,929	3,697	3,892	3,765
Lottie Moon Offering	190,680	205,420	233,150	—
Foreign Missions	194,825	213,376	227,628	242,608
(Reported in letters)				
Home Missions	73,458	75,124	81,552	86,091
(Including Annie Armstrong)				
Annie Armstrong Offering	62,146	69,293	73,557	78,842
N.C. Missions Offering	37,550	42,275	38,582	35,937
Total Mission Gifts	1,253,663	1,369,542	1,451,351	1,581,770
Total Church Receipts	6,874,828	7,159,127	7,711,786	8,167,388
Total Church Expenditures	5,111,230	5,191,201	5,484,352	6,192,700
Pastors and staff salaries	1,736,929	1,847,657	1,998,512	2,283,551
Value of Church Property	34,742,141	35,873,855	37,571,551	41,078,225
*Cooperative Program Gifts	590,273	649,073	681,270	730,388
*Special Offerings				253,655

A special thanks goes to all those who had any part in getting this statistical information to us. There were five churches who did not turn in a church letter: Globe, Green Rock, Johns River, Liberty, Lovelady and Pisgah.

Respectfully submitted,
Ann Hatton, Statistician

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Rev. Donald W. Ingle
Dudley Shoals Baptist Church

Stewardship is more than money. Stewardship involves all of our life — time, talents, money, materials, etc. It would be nice if we would give our money and be able to hear our Lord say “Well done.” But that’s not the way our Lord works. Jesus said unto them, “Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind.” (Matthew 22:37). So stewardship involves all that we possess. As we have evaluated this year, may we be challenged to be good stewards during the coming year. There is a great work to be done in Caldwell County and God has called us to say “Here am I.”

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Don Ingle, Chairman
Associational Finance Committee

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

Rev. Donald W. Ingle
Dudley Shoals Baptist Church

As with other organizations, we have seen a decrease in enrollment. But cheer up, there are many areas of training on the way.

One of the newer developments is the Small Sunday School Workshop (150 or less enrolled in Sunday School). If your church fits in this area, you can receive valuable training. There have been many other exciting workshops planned for 1988-89. I hope you will watch your calendar and attend. These workshops are provided for us so that we can be better equipped to reach and teach people in Sunday School. Our theme “Gather the People” is a very good challenge from the Word of God. The people are here, we have the buildings, we have the leaders, and we have the Lord commanding us to go out and gather the people. What holds us back is lack of COMMITMENT. During this year may each of us make a commitment to gather the people for Bible study in Sunday School.

Thank you ASSIST TEAM for a job well done. Thank you churches for letting us help you.

Feel free to call on us as we help you “Gather the People.”

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Don Ingle
Associational Sunday School Director

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER COMMITTEE REPORT

Dr. Paul Childers
Concord Baptist Church

1989 Annual Meeting

Session one of the 1989 Annual Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association will be held on Thursday, October 26 in the facilities of the Harrisburg Baptist Church. The second and third sessions will be held on Friday, October 27 in the facilities of the Oak Grove Baptist Church.

The 1989 Annual Sermon will be delivered by the Rev. James W. Hamby, Pastor of the Fellowship Baptist Church. The alternate preacher will be Dr. Howard Hawkins, Pastor of the Lakeview Baptist Church.

1990 Annual Meeting

Session one of the 1990 Annual Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association will be held on Thursday, October 25 in the facilities of the Clover Baptist Church. The second and third sessions will be held on Friday, October 26 in the facilities of the Lower Creek Baptist Church.

Respectfully submitted,
Dr. Paul Childers, Chairman
Time, Place and Preacher Committee

TREASURER'S REPORT CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

September 1, 1987 - August 31, 1988

Beginning Balance September 1, 1987 \$49,326.18

I. RECEIPTS:

A. Undesignated Receipts \$112,556.32

B. Designated Receipts

1. Annual Minutes \$1,345.25

2. Miscellaneous 3,893.35

3. Vacation Bible School 273.17

Total Designated Receipts 5,511.77

Total Receipts and Beginning Balance \$167,394.27

II. BUDGETED ITEMS:

A. PERSONNEL

1. Salaries:

a. Director of Missions 23,000.00

b. Admin. Assistant 16,000.00

c. Clerk 600.00

d. Office help 552.50

e. Summer Worker 253.54

f. Treasurer 1,980.00

2. Benefits:

a. Housing, Utilities:

D.O.M. 9,000.00

b. Insurance:

(1) DOM (Medical, Life

& Disability 3,200.00

(2) Admin. Assistant (Medical)	2,000.00
c. Retirement:	
(1) D.O.M.	4,800.00
(2) Admin. Assistant	2,400.00
3. Christmas Gifts:	
a. D.O.M.	450.00
b. Admin. Assistant	310.00
4. Ministry Expense:	
a. Conventions/Conferences:	
D.O.M.	850.06
b. Travel: D.O.M.	4,500.00
5. Payroll Taxes:	
a. D.O.M.	2,242.70
b. Admin. Assistant	1,199.00
6. Contingency	<u>310.48</u>
Total Personnel	73,648.28
B. ORGANIZATIONAL AND EDUCATIONAL MINISTRY:	
1. Alpha Omega	300.00
2. Annual Meeting	554.06
3. Annual Minutes (printing)	2,154.60
4. Associational Council	97.00
5. Brotherhood	731.94
6. Church Training	505.63
7. Evangelism .....	.00
8. Fellowship Groups	354.20
9. Media Library	862.83
10. Music	348.77
11. Seminary Extension	917.74
12. Sunday School	22.02
13. V.B.S.	186.76
14. W.M.U.	<u>2,043.25</u>
Total Organizational & Educational Ministry	9,078.80
C. SERVICE MINISTRY:	
1. New Equipment	7,746.14
2. Office supplies & postage	<u>9,855.55</u>
Total Service Ministry	17,601.69
D. BUILDING AND EQUIPMENT (Baptist Center)	
1. Maintenance	6,888.49
2. Operating expenses (util.)	<u>5,482.96</u>
Total Building and Equipment	12,371.45
E. OUTREACH MINISTRY:	
1. Assoc. & Local Missions	500.00
2. Non Budget - Brazil	<u>3,329.85</u>
Total Outreach Ministry	3,829.85

Ministers Support Disbursement	1,157.48
Total Disbursements	<u>117,687.55</u>
Balance August 31, 1988	<u>\$49,706.72</u>

Ministers Support

Ongoing balance	\$6,500.00
Receipts	3,442.52
Disbursements	-4,600.00
Ending balance	<u>\$5,342.52</u>

Respectfully submitted,
Jack Spainhour, Treasurer

FINANCIAL STATEMENT — RIDGECREST COTTAGE

Balance September 1, 1987	\$4,238.36
Receipts	2,119.40
Total Receipts and Balance	\$6,357.76
Disbursements	1,829.09
Balance August 31, 1988	<u>\$4,528.67</u>

CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**ANALYSIS OF RECEIPTS**

September 1, 1987 - August 31, 1988

CHURCH	RECEIPTS	MINUTES	V.B.S.	TOTAL
Baton	\$1,445.81	\$17.50	\$	1,463.31
Bethany	300.00			300.00
Blairs Fork				.00
Buffalo Cove	200.00			200.00
Cajahs Mountain	600.00			600.00
Calvary	400.00	175.00		575.00
Cedar Rock	1,146.15			1,146.15
Center Grove	2,593.33	17.50		2,610.83
Central	2,500.04			2,500.04
Clarks Chapel	3,734.82			3,734.82
Clearview		42.00		42.00
Clover	2,410.64	10.50		2,421.14
College Avenue	3,555.00			3,555.00
Concord	2,973.58			2,973.58
Conways Chapel		3.50		3.50
Crest View	1,137.00	7.00		1,144.00

CHURCH	RECEIPTS	MINUTES	V.B.S.	TOTAL
Dry Ponds	5,807.84	42.00		5,849.84
Dudley Shoals	11,748.48	91.00		11,839.48
Edgemont				.00
Fellowship	3,000.89	14.00		3,014.89
Flemings Chapel	2,349.96	24.50		2,374.46
Free Spirit (wc)				.00
Friendship	2,525.26			2,525.26
Globe	150.00			150.00
Grandin	75.00	35.00		110.00
Grandview Park				.00
Granite Falls FBC	1,733.28	10.50		1,743.78
Green Rock				.00
Green Valley	150.00	35.00		185.00
Harris Chapel		87.00		87.00
Harrisburg	732.33			732.33
Hartland	1,575.00	21.00	40.00	1,636.00
Hibriten		14.00		14.00
Hudson FBC	6,500.00	70.00		6,570.00
Johns River				
Kings Creek	1,600.00	21.00		1,621.00
Lakeview	\$1,560.72	\$11.25		\$1,571.97
Lenoir FBC	4,910.00	7.00		4,917.00
Liberty	475.34	14.00		489.34
Livingston Memorial	612.89	14.00		626.89
Lovelady				.00
Lower Creek	3,150.00	70.00		3,220.00
Meadowbrook	3,841.40	17.50		3,858.90
Miller Hill	1,755.11	17.50		1,772.61
Mountain Grove	4,024.60			4,024.60
Mountain View	187.50	10.50	18.58	216.58
Mt. Carmel	283.89			283.89
Mt. Zion	4,222.64	28.00	30.00	4,280.64
Mulberry	134.00	42.00		176.00
Mulvale	1,260.00			1,260.00
Nelsons Chapel	320.76	29.00		349.76
New Life (wc)	676.34			676.34
North Catawba	1,200.00	35.00		1,235.00
Oak Grove	1,100.00	52.50		1,152.50
Piney Grove	720.00	28.00		748.00
Pisgah				.00

CHURCH	RECEIPTS	MINUTES	V.B.S.	TOTAL
Pooveys Chapel	869.76	17.50	32.85	920.11
Pooveys Grove	975.82			975.82
Rhodhiss FBC	1,290.90			1,290.90
Rocky Springs	572.68	35.00		607.68
Rufus		17.50		17.50
Setzers Creek	1,220.00	42.00	70.00	1,332.00
Sunrise	420.00	42.00		462.00
Temple Hill	3,113.77	28.00	81.74	3,223.51
Union	2,416.00	35.00		2,451.00
Union Grove	1,750.00			1,750.00
West Lenoir		10.50		10.50
Whitnel FBC	6,671.60			6,671.60
Yadkin	1,265.04			1,265.04
Yadkin Valley	361.15			361.15
Zacks Fork	250.00			250.00
Misc. Minutes		3.50		3.50
Misc. Receipts				3,893.35
TOTALS	\$112,556.32	\$1,345.25	\$273.17	\$118,068.09

TRUSTEES OF ASSOCIATIONAL PROPERTY REPORT

Harold Beach
First Baptist Church Lenoir

Incorporation

The trustees were asked to consider the issue of incorporating the association. It was decided that incorporation would be a good step for the association considering its size and the need for protection against lawsuits. It is recommended that the 1988-89 Trustees Committee follow through with the actual incorporation procedure.

Camp

A realty company in Lenoir shared with the trustees about a camp that was for sale in the Globe community of Caldwell County. The trustees studied the material available on the camp and travelled to the property for a first-hand inspection. After careful consideration it was decided that the camp would not be a good investment; however, the trustees think that a camp for the association could be beneficial. It is recommended that the 1988-89 Trustees Committee be asked to further study the possibility of a camp for the association.

Respectfully submitted,
Harold Beach, Chairman
Associational Trustees

W.M.U. REPORT

Mrs. Joann Propst
First Baptist Church Rhodhiss

Excitement! Anticipation! Great Expectations! That special year had finally arrived, the W.M.U. Centennial year.

The year 1987-88 filled with celebration and praise to our Lord for the things that have been accomplished through Him in these past 100 years began with our Leadership Conference at the First Baptist Church of Whitnel. The conference began with a flag processional using the flags from around the world made by churches from our association followed with eleven training conferences. Two hundred were enrolled for these conferences.

On Monday, May 28, 1988, First Baptist Church of Lenoir hosted the special Caldwell W.M.U. Annual Session as we observed the 75th anniversary of Caldwell W.M.U. and the 100th anniversary of Southern Baptist Convention W.M.U. There were approximately 230 in attendance. Special speakers for this session were Nancy Curtis, the North Carolina W.M.U. Executive Director; Maxine Bumgarner, West Virginia W.M.U. Executive Director, formally from Temple Hill Baptist Church in Caldwell Association; Faye Turnmire Fincannon, former missionary to the Philippines for 19 years and formally from Dry Ponds and Mt. Zion Churches in Caldwell Association; Ruth Keller Craig, Caldwell Association's first Director of Missions and North Carolina W.M.U. Field Worker, formally from Poovey's Grove, now from Buffalo Cove and Elizabeth J. Campbell, Caldwell Association's second Director of Missions.

On March 18-19, 1988, fifty-eight W.M.U. ladies from Caldwell Association reminisced over the past 100 years with Alma Hunt and Helen Fling and listened as Keith Parks, Larry Lewis, and a number of North Carolina missionaries prepared us for the challenges of missions in the future.

Traveling to Richmond, Virginia for the birthday celebration of W.M.U., May 13-15, 1988, sixty ladies and one G.A., Angie Estes, praised God for the opportunity of being involved in His mission work through the years. Through parades, dramas, testimonies, and messages we were made aware of sacrificial efforts of dedicated, mission-minded ladies down through the years and encouraged to go forward, confident that the same hand that had framed our past also holds our future.

The last session in Richmond, Virginia on Saturday night, May 14, 1988, was a very special one for Caldwell Baptists. During the joint commissioning service for Foreign and Home missionaries, Roger and Trudy Wall were commissioned to go as missionaries to Jordan. Trudy is the former Trudy Reid from Mt. Carmel Baptist Church. On August 7, 1988, a reception was given at the Baptist Center for this very special couple as we said our good-byes and shared a love gift of money with them.

Age-Level Activities

Baptist Women: February 18, 1988, Prayer Retreat, Fellowship Baptist Church. Speaker - Mrs. Ruby Fulbright, former missionary to Zambia. August 8, 1988, Baptist Women Praise Celebration, College Avenue Baptist Church.

Baptist Young Women: February 18, 1988, Prayer Retreat with Baptist Women. May 16, 1988, B.Y.W. Banquet, College Avenue Baptist Church, Speaker, Mrs. Deen Sweatman.

Acteens: November 16, 1988, Acteens Activity, First Baptist Church of Hudson. April 25, 1988, Mother/Daughter Spring Fling, Mountain Grove Baptist Church. Speaker, Miss Linda Todd, State Acteen Consultant.

Girls-In-Action: May 2, 1988, G.A. Rally, Temple Hill Baptist Church. Speaker, Mrs. Connie Andrews, retired missionary to Chile. June 4, 1988, G.A. Day Camp, Mt. Carmel Baptist Church. Speaker, Mrs. Jean Poe, retired missionary to Brazil. August 20, 1988, G.A. Mission Fair, Kings Creek Baptist Church. Speaker, Miss Stella Austin, retired missionary to Nigeria.

Mission Friends: April 17, 1988, Mission Friends Leadership Meeting, Baptist Center. August 6, 1988, Mission Friends Learn-a-Rama, Miller Hill Baptist Church.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Joann Propst
Associational W.M.U. Director

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION ANNUAL W.M.U. MEETING

LENOIR FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

March 28, 1988, 6:45 P.M.

Theme: A Century to Celebrate — A Future to Fulfill

The 75th annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union of Caldwell Baptist Association met March 28, 1988, 6:45 P.M., at Lenoir First Baptist Church. This was the 75th Anniversary celebration of Caldwell Association W.M.U. and 100th year celebration of the Southern Baptist Convention. The first W.M.U. in the Caldwell Association was at Lenoir First Church and the second organization was the Granite Falls First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Joann Propst, Associational Director, presided at the meeting. Mrs. Marlene Alexander directed the music and Miss Sherry Austin was the accompanist.

After the Flag presentation Dr. Robert Evans, pastor of Granite Falls First Church led in prayer.

The congregation sang "O Zion Haste" and Miss Stella Austin, retired missionary to Nigeria, had the call to prayer.

Mrs. Betty Carter, W.M.U. director of the host church extended a warm welcome to everyone and invited all to the parlor for refreshments at the conclusion of the meeting.

Mrs. Propst recognized special guests and pastors. Recognition for special achievements are as follows: Distinguished: Caldwell Associational W.M.U., Clover (3 years), Crest View, Dudley Shoals, Flemings Chapel (2 years), Hudson First (3 years), Miller Hill (6 years), Rhodhiss First, Temple Hill (6 years), and Standard recognition went to Baton.

Committee Reports:

Resolutions Committee: The Resolutions Committee wishes to recommend that we express our deep appreciation and gratitude to the following:

1. To God, our Author and Creator, who has led us to this time when we can celebrate our rich heritage of Woman's Missionary Union.
2. To our host church, First Baptist Church of Lenoir and Mrs. Betty Carter, for so graciously hosting our annual meeting celebrating the W.M.U. Centennial.

3. To Miss Elizabeth Campbell, our Centennial chairman, who has stirred within us a spark of excitement for both our past history as well as our present commitment to missions.
4. For the many persons from the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association whom God has gifted and called to serve Him throughout the world. We are particularly grateful and honored to have several of our missionaries present tonight. We thank each of them for their years of service and the inspiration they share on the program.
5. For our gifted Director of North Carolina Woman's Missionary Union, Miss Nancy Curtis, we are truly grateful. Her leadership and her message tonight, stimulate and motivate us to "Go Forward" from this day of celebration into a glorious "future to fulfill."
6. For Mrs. Joann Propst, our Associational W.M.U. Director, who not only serves as a capable director, but also as a role model for mission involvement. We thank her and our officers of the association, whose leadership we shall remember and imitate for years to come.
7. May we as women of the Caldwell Baptist Association on this night of centennial celebration, reaffirm our giftedness as "laborers together with God," recommit ourselves to the same Great Commission that compelled those few Baptist Women in 1888, knowing that "Christ is the same yesterday, today, and tomorrow."

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Winifred Thurkill, Chairperson

Mrs. Elsie Angley

Mrs. Patty Coffey

Time and Place:

The Time and Place Committee recommends the Caldwell Baptist Association Annual Woman's Missionary meeting be at Temple Hill Baptist Church, April 3, 1989 and at Meadowbrook Baptist Church, April 2, 1990.

Respectfully submitted,

Katherine Curtis, Chairperson

Linda DeMaure

Leslie Smith

Nominating Committee:

W.M.U. Director	Mrs. Mary Suddreth
Associate W.M.U. Director	Mrs. Joann Propst
Secretary/Treasurer	Mrs. Lena Braswell
Baptist Women's Director	Mrs. Jan Lail
Associate Baptist Women's Director	Mrs. Blanche Reid
Baptist Young Women's Director	Mrs. Susan Denning
Associate Baptist Young Women's Director	Mrs. Vicki Overcash
Acteens Director	Mrs. Marlene Alexander
Associate Acteens Director	Mrs. Cheryl Wilson
G.A. Director	Mrs. Mildred Roberts
Associate G.A. Director	Mrs. Alma Helton
Mission Friends Director	Mrs. Anita Cable
Associate Mission Friends Director	Ms. Vickie Coffey
Enlistment/Enlargement Director	Mrs. Muriel Nanney
Mission Action/Personal Witnessing Director	Mrs. Tula Bumgardner

Area Directors:

Area I	Mrs. Lillian Turnmire	Area II	Mrs. Debbie McClean
Area III	Mrs. Barbara Kaylor	Area IV	Mrs. Hazel Arnette
Area V	Mrs. Coleen Coffey	Area VI	Miss Carole Church
Music Director			Mrs. Audrey Smith
Pianist			Mrs. Merle Chapman
Nominating Committee 1988-89			Mrs. Nancy Hines, Chairman (1 year) Mrs. Delores Hawkins (2 years) Mrs. Carolyn Setzer (3 years)

All reports were approved as read. Rev. Dale Fisher led in a prayer of dedication of all officers.

Mrs. Alexander led the congregation in singing *"I'll Be A Sunbeam."*

Miss Elizabeth Campbell, retired Director of Missions, in her topic *"Called to Act In Forming New Organizations"* reminded us of our past history of what has been accomplished in mission work in our association.

Mrs. Ruth Keller Craig, first Missions Director of the Caldwell Association, spoke on the topic *"Called to Act As A State W.M.U. Field Worker."* She told of some of her experiences as Associational Secretary and State Field Worker as a laborer with God.

Miss Maxine Bumgardner, Executive Secretary of West Virginia W.M.U., from Temple Hill Baptist Church, shared with us how God loves and uses us just as we are. She told of two of her churches in West Virginia, where they are now and where they have come from. After her message she was presented a plaque of appreciation from Temple Hill Baptist Church and Miss Elizabeth Campbell.

Mrs. Faye Turnmire Fincannon, former missionary to the Philippines for nineteen years, told how God led her along the pathway of many choices in her work in the Philippines.

Special music, *"Share His Love"* was presented by Miss Sherry Austin at the piano and Todd Estes, Trumpeter.

Miss Nancy Curtiss, North Carolina W.M.U. Executive Director, shared the challenge of *"A Future To Fulfill."* She encouraged us to keep on doing what we had been doing. If we are to have a future we must (1) Fall in love with Christ — Go ye, follow, give, do (2) Fall in love with our church-commitment make it mission-minded, teach the children, our future, (3) Fall in love with work in missions, co-laborers with God in work, we can make a difference.

Centennial certificates were given to everyone by Acteen Activators from Clover and Dudley Shoals Churches. These certificates were provided by Orville Campbell in honor of Miss Elizabeth Campbell and in memory of Mrs. Jessie Bentley Campbell and Bentley Campbell.

Miss Ella Keller, retired from the Home Mission Board, closed with prayer.

Lena S. Braswell, Secretary

W.M.U. FINANCIAL REPORT

September 30, 1987 — September 30, 1988

Beginning Balance	\$272.99
Receipts from Caldwell Baptist Association	1966.50

G.A. Receipts	163.00
Acteen Receipts	80.00
B.Y.W. Receipts	337.00
Other Receipts	323.00
Total Deposits	\$3142.99

Expenses:

W.M.U./Baptist Women	\$1233.43
Mission Friends	34.94
G.A.'s	306.82
Acteens	142.80
B.Y.W.	601.22
Total Expense	\$2319.21
Bank Balance September 30, 1988	\$823.78
Love Gifts to Roger and Trudy Wall	\$587.25
Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund	\$4320.60

HISTORICAL TABLE

CALDWELL MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1885-1987

<i>Time and Place</i>	<i>Moderator</i>	<i>Clerk</i>	<i>Preacher</i>
1885 Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W.A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886 Union	Isaac Oxford	W.A. Pool	John Crisp
1887 Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W.F. Marshall	W.A. Pool
1888 Sardis	H.D. Lequex	W.F. Marshall	H.D. Lequex
1889 Glove	Isaac Oxford	W.F. Marshall	W.A. Pool
1890 Lenoir, First	Isaac Oxford	A.E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891 Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J.V. McCall	J.W. Gwaitney
1892 Yadkin	II W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	H.M. Croom
1893 Granite Falls	I.W. Thomas	A.E. Nelson	J.W. Gwaitney
1894 Kings Creek	J.V. McCall	A.E. Nelson	J.M. Shaver
1895 Lower Creek	J.V. McCall	A.E. Nelson	H.M. Croom
1896 Conways Chapel . . .	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas
1897 Piney Grove	E.D. Crisp	J.V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898 Rocky Springs	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	G.D. Heffner
1899 Blairs Fork	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	E.D. Crisp
1900 Union	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas
1901 Sardis	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	W.R. Beach
1902 Bethany	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	E.D. Crisp
1903 Lenoir, First	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.A. White
1904 Dudley Shoals	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.J.L. Sherwood
1905 Mountain Grove . . .	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	
1906 Flemings Chapel . . .	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	
1907 Mulberry	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.J.L. Sherwood
1908 Lower Creek	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	I.C. Miller
1909 Green Valley	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	I.W. Thomas
1910 Granite Falls	J.V. McCall	J.R. Swanson	J.G. Benfield
1911 Kings Creek	J.V. McCall	J.R. Swanson	
1912 Rocky Springs	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	W.N. Cook
1913 Lenoir, First	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.D. Moore
1914 Union	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	G.C. Ivey
1915 Sardis	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	G.W. Rollins
1916 Blairs Fork	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.G. Benfield
1917 Bethel	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	G.A. Rhyme
1918 Dudley Shoals	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.E. Hoyle
1919 Rhodhiss	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.M. Shaver
1920 Piney Grove	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	I.W. Thomas
1921 Center Grove	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.E. Hoyle
1922 Kings Creek	J.G. Benfield	J.R. Swanson	W.C. Tyree
1923 Rocky Springs	J.G. Benfield	J.R. Swanson	J.L. Teague
1924 Concord	J.G. Benfield	J.R. Swanson	W.C. Tyree
1925 Yadkin	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	J.W. Watts
1926 Lower Creek	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	J.L. Teague
1927 Harris Chapel	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	S.A. Stroup
1928 South Lenoir	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	G.W. Bennett
1929 Mount Zion	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	W.R. Bradshaw
1930 Kings Creek	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	R.D. Carroll
1931 Sardis	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	R.E. Hardaway
1932 Granite Falls	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	W.R. Barnes
1933 Grandview Park . . .	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	J.H. Shaver
1934 Lenoir, First	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	T.E. Payne
1935 Whitnel	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	H.S. Benfield
1936 Grandin	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	G.C. Teague
1937 Rhodhiss	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	Waldo E. Early
1938 Rocky Springs	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939 Lower Creek	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon

1940 Granite Falls	G.C. Teague	H.S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941 Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H.S. Benfield	O.R. Mangum
1942 Blairs Fork	Zeb Caudle	H.S. Benfield	R.F. Mayberry
1943 Mount Zion	Zeb Caudle	H.S. Benfield	S.M. Stroupe
1944 Kings Creek	Zeb Caudle	R.C. Powell	Philip D. Fletcher
1945 Piney Grove	Zeb Caudle	R.C. Powell	J.H. Crisp
1946 Dudley Shoals	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	
1947 Lenoir, First	C.M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	M.W. Stallings
1947 Center Grove	C.M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	
1948 Central	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	W.W. Jones
1948 Hartland	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	
1949 Harris Chapel	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	Fred C. Roberts
1949 Lower Creek	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	
1950 Concord	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	Will Bolick
1950 Longford	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	
1951 Calvary	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Hester
1951 Winklers Grove	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1952 Union	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	M.O. Owens, Jr.
1952 Union Grove	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Knolan Benfield
1953 Sardis	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	D.R. Hinton
1953 Mountain Grove	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1954 College Avenue	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	K.E. Seepe
1954 Granite Falls, First	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1955 Lenoir, First	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	T.L. Cashwell
1955 Mount Zion	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1956 Lower Creek	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Hopkins
1956 Central	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1957 Yadkin	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Bruce
1957 Harris Chapel	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1958 Hudson, First	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	George Westmoreland
1958 Crestview	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1959 Rhodhiss, First	M.O. Owens, Jr.	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Hal. R. Hovis
1959 Kings Creek	M.O. Owens, Jr.	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1960 College Avenue	Paul J. Hopkins	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Murray F. Jackson
1960 Flemings Chapel	Paul J. Hopkins	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1961 Concord	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	Paul Lovingood
1961 Poovey's Grove	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	
1962 Winklers Grove	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	Billy Rivers
1962 Grandview Park	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	
1963 Lenoir, First	George Williamson	J.G. Hagaman	James Pharr
1963 Mount Zion	George Williamson	J.G. Hagaman	
1964 Hudson, First	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Jyles Hall
1964 North Catawba	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Mrs. George Cowsert
1965 Whitnel, First	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Mark Owens
1965 Union Grove	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	F. Turnmire/S. Austin
1966 Lower Creek	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	B.C. Tschudy
1966 Yadkin	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Wayne Pennell
1967 Calvary	Billy Rivers	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	Millared Crumpler
1967 Dudley Shoals	Billy Rivers	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	
1968 College Avenue	L. Deck Taylor	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	Rev. C.H. Kincaid
1968 Mountain Grove	L. Deck Taylor	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	Rev. Lanny Elmore
1969 Mount Zion	L. Deck Taylor	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	Rev. Fred D. Barnes
1969 Lenoir	L. Deck Taylor	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	
1969 Union	L. Deck Taylor	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	Miss Faye Turnmire
1970 Granite Falls, Fi	L. Deck Taylor	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Rev. Clifton Tuttle
1970 Hudson, First	L. Deck Taylor	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Dr. Carl Bates
1970 Kings Creek	L. Deck Taylor	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Mrs. Hilda Cowsert
1971 Central	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Frank Colbum
1971 Lower Creek	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	R. Knolan Benfield
1971 Whitnel, First	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Wayne Pennell
1972 Hudson, First	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Edgar Cole
1972 Mountain Grove	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Dr. Jack Stanton
1972 Clover	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Lanny Elmore

1973 Dudley Shoals	Haven C. Lowe.....	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Rev. W. Luther Hawkins
1973 Harris Chapel	Haven C. Lowe.....	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Dr. Eugene Poston
1973 Oak Grove	Haven C. Lowe.....	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Rev. Tom Small
			Rev. Coy C. Privette
			Rev. James Lambert
1974 North Catawba ...	Haven C. Lowe.....	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Edwin D. Price
			Rev. John O. Adams
1974 Mount Zion	Haven C. Lowe.....	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Dr. Budd Smith
			Rev. Guy Longshore
1974 Hartland	Haven C. Lowe.....	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Rev. Burt Potter
			Rev. Jerry Potter
1975 Yadkin	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Rev. Howard Barnes
			Rev. Charles Lethcoe
1975 Hudson, First.....	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Dr. Eugene Poston
			Rev. Ian Walker
1975 Concord	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Dr. Roy Carroll
			Rev. George W. Cowsert
1976 Lenoir, First	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Rev. Ned Webb
			Rev. Don Ingle
1976 Poovey's Chapel ..	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Dr. Thomas Corts
			Dr. Richard Henderson
1976 Central	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Rev. Ernest L. Holloway
			Rev. Wayne Pennell
1977 Rhodhiss, First ...	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Rev. Don Ingle
			Rev. B.R. Whisnant
1977 Baton	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Dr. Craven Williams
			Dr. Carl E. Bates
1977 Harris Chapel	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Rick Taylor
			Rev. John McGee
1978 College Avenue ...	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Rev. James Lockee
			Rev. Knolan Benfield
1978 Union Grove	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Dr. Norman Wiggins
			Dr. Forrest Feezor
1978 Mount Zion	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Dr. Mark Corts
			Rev. Max Furr
1979 Lower Creek	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Dr. Thad Dowdle
			Rev. Walter Ponder
1979 Temple Hill	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Dr. T. Robert Mullinax
			Dr. Jonn Tresch
1979 Miller Hill	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Dr. Dwane Campbell
			Dr./Mrs. Lin Fincannon
1980 Mountain Grove ..	Donald W. Ingle	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Rev. H.H. McManus
			Dr. Robert Evans
1980 Center Grove	Donald W. Ingle	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Dr. Dwane Campbell
			Dr. A.C. Miller
1980 Crest View	Donald W. Ingle	Elizabeth J. Campbell ...	Rev. Cecil Seagel
			Mrs. Craig Steele
1981 Granite Falls, First	Donald W. Ingle	Sue Smith	Rev. Roy Collins, Jr.
			Rev. Donald Ingle
1981 West Lenoir	Donald W. Ingle	Sue Smith	Dr. Delores Miles
			Rev. Fenton Moorhead
1981 Poovey's Grove ...	Donald W. Ingle	Sue Smith	Dr. Thad Dowdle
			Mrs. Jean Poe
1982 Kings Creek	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	Tommy Stevens
			Roger Nix
1982 Lovelady	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	J.W. Hutchens
1982 Flemings Chapel ..	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	Stewart White
			Thomas Corts
1983 College Avenue ...	Rev. Wayne Riddle	Mrs. Sue Smith	Rev. Donnie Solesbee
1983 Clarks Chapel	Rev. Wayne Riddle	Mrs. Sue Smith	Rev. Dennis Herman
1983 Whitnel, First	Rev. Wayne Riddle	Mrs. Sue Smith	Dr. Mark Corts
1984 Concord	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Dr. Robert Evans, Jr.
1984 Calvary	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	History of Caldwell Cty.

1984 Mt. Zion	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Dr. Roy Smith
1985 Lenoir First	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Rev. Dean Harrold
1985 Baton	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Rev. Ken Carter
1985 Rhodhiss First	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Rev. Marion Powell
1986 Concord	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield ..	Rev. C.H. Kincaid
1986 Piney Grove	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield ..	Rev. Ellis Fulbright
1986 Dudley Shoals	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield ..	Dr. Ray Roberts
1987 Meadowbrook	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield ..	Rev. Stuart White
1987 Poovey's Chapel ..	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield ..	Togo Volunteers
1987 Friendship	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield ..	Rev. Richard Everett
1988 Central	Billy G. Rivers	Mrs. Margaret Benfield ..	Rev. David Philbeck
			Dr. Michael Blackwell
1988 Fellowship	Billy G. Rivers	Mrs. Margaret Benfield ..	W.M.U. Cent. Report
			Brazil Mission Vol. Report
1988 Temple Hill	Billy G. Rivers	Mrs. Margaret Benfield ..	Dr. Thad Dowdle

TABLES

Table A: Church Membership and Other Information

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION										YEAR ENDING		August 31		(Month & Day)																	
Association	State	North Carolina	Director of Associated Members	Address	City	State	Zip	CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Country	Year Organized	Location	Total Baptisms			14	15	16	17	18	19	20	24	25	26						
													1. Open Church	2. Open Church	3. Open Church																
																										4. Open Church	5. Open Church	6. Open Church			
																													7. Open Church	8. Open Church	9. Open Church

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION										YEAR ENDING AUGUST 31				(Month & Day)									
Association										1988													
Caldwell																							
State																							
North Carolina																							
Director of Associated Missions																							
Address																							
208 N.W. Circle, N.E.																							
City																							
State																							
Zip																							
28645																							
Pastors & Addresses include zip code																							
Churches																							
Granite Falls First	Robert B. Evans, Jr., 47 Crestview St., Granite Falls, NC	Caldwell	1890	3	X	13	6	16	541	167	708	1	3	100,000	1,000,000	-	-	Total church debt at end of this association year					
	No Letter																						
Green Rock																							
Green Valley	Ralph Staton, Rt. 3, Box 78A, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Caldwell	1888	1	X	-	-	6	111	-	111	-	2	-	75,000	3,110	-						
Harris Chapel	Garry J. Hardin, Rt. 2, Box 393, Hudson, N.C. 28638	Caldwell	1912	4	X	41	23	34	1,220	-	1,220	-	-	-	1,852,400	-	-						
Harrisburg	Ted Williams, 740 Harrisburg Dr., S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Caldwell	1979	7	X	11	10	5	142	17	159	-	-	-	160,000	-	-						
Hartland	David L. Giffin, Rt. 7, Box 207, Morganton, N.C. 28655	Burke	1938	1	X	2	5	5	309	9	318	-	-	65,000	632,000	-	-						
Hibriten	Douglas Cox, 1105 Applegate Ct., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Caldwell	1951	7	X	8	5	10	413	-	413	-	-	135,000	280,000	37,244	-						
Hudson First	Billy Rivers, 109 Optimist Ave., CB-59-2, Hudson, N.C. 28638	Caldwell	1831	4	X	19	22	46	748	253	1,001	1	6	157,500	2,227,225	-	-						
Johns River	No Letter																						
Kings Creek	Stanley Skipper, Rt. 1, Box 444, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Caldwell	1779	1	X	1	6	4	305	126	431	1	-	115,133	946,343	11,484	-						
Lakeview	W. Howard Hawkins, 2618 Hogan St., S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Caldwell	1959	3	X	4	5	2	191	129	320	-	-	-	302,000	21,419	-						
Lenoir First		Caldwell	1889	5	X	5	4	41	524	234	758	-	8	105,000	2,496,724	-	-						
Liberty	No Letter																						
Livingston Memorial		Caldwell	1956	1	X	11	2	12	107	92	199	2	-	40,000	220,000	4,155	-						
LoveLedy	No Letter																						
Lower Creek	Joel M. Sellers, 633 Lower Creek Dr., N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645	Caldwell	1826	6	X	15	35	19	644	128	772	1	1	-	1,200,000	-	-						
Meadowbrook	Donnie L. Solesbee, 1260 Cedar Rock Rd., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Caldwell	1965	6	X	45	32	18	464	25	489	5	3	-	1,100,000	437,504	-						
Miller Hill	David Buchanan, 2512 Brentwood Cr., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Caldwell	1935	6	X	-	-	6	330	55	385	-	-	-	600,000	-	-						
Mountain Grove	H. Clifton Black, Rt. 2, Box 263, Granite Falls, N.C. 28650	Caldwell	1884	2	X	17	58	8	699	90	789	3	1	-	1,545,000	-	-						
Mountain View	A.J. Singley, 268-D North Fairview Dr., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Caldwell	1948	1	X	-	-	2	38	6	44	-	-	-	75,000	-	-						
Mt. Carmel	J.D. Dugger, 20 Dugger St., Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	Caldwell	1970	1	X	-	5	2	98	-	98	-	-	-	105,000	-	-						
Mt. Zion	Glenn R. Walker, Rt. 3, Box 345, Hudson, N.C. 28638	Caldwell	1879	3	X	13	10	18	679	275	904	1	2	100,000	1,566,000	342,619	-						
Milberry	Bennett Helton, P.O. Box 313, Hudson, N.C. 28638	Caldwell	1853	1	X	5	4	1	85	38	123	3	-	-	140,000	-	-						
Mulvale	Paul White, Jr., Rt. 10, Box 409, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Caldwell	1911	1	X	15	5	2	158	21	179	2	-	68,000	90,800	-	-						
Nelsons Chapel	John DeMauro, Rt. 8, Box A-214, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Caldwell	1975	1	X	5	2	4	134	34	168	2	1	118,000	441,500	12,000	-						
										TOTALS													
8538 - 1297 (Rev. 7-86)										PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS													

Table B: Sunday School

TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL		YEAR ENDING AUGUST 31		1988														
Association		(Month & Day)																
Cathwell																		
Site		Zip																
North Carolina																		
Associate/ Sunday School Director		State																
Rev. Donald W. Ingle		North Carolina																
Address		City																
Route 1, Box 212		Granite Falls																
28630		28630																
SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES INCLUDE ZIP CODES																		
CHURCHES																		
Baton	Brooks Barber, Rt. 2, Box 410-B, Granite Falls, NC 28630	8	15	13	15	15	45	18	-	5	6	-	140	74	-	Y	-	-
Bethany		-	-	-	4	2	2	20	2	-	2	-	32	25	-	N	-	-
Blairs Fork	Rodney Enslly	10	10	58	15	-	10	35	10	-	3	8	-	159	150	-	Y	-
Buffalo Cove	Ralph Smith, Rt., 5, Box 417-B, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	10	15	2	1	3	10	20	-	-	2	-	63	38	-	N	-
Cajahs Mountain	Harold Younce, 1007 Remton Ave., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	8	2	9	4	10	40	5	-	10	-	88	68	-	Y	-	-
Calvary	Mike Nelson, 211-A Elizabeth St., N.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	20	25	22	12	8	106	19	-	5	-	217	166	-	Y	-	-
Oedar Rock	Gary Robbins, 170 Spring Meadow Rd., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	5	14	16	4	11	20	21	-	2	-	93	60	-	Y	-	-
Center Grove	Harold Winkler, Rt. 3, Box 1120, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	21	27	25	-	-	80	32	-	3	-	188	137	-	N	-	-
Central	George Hamby, 212 Old Welle Rd., Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	37	41	28	11	10	106	35	-	11	-	279	180	-	N	-	-
Clarks Chapel	Darryl Wilcox, 3-A Hickory Ave., Granite Falls, NC 28630	-	17	10	9	15	15	33	27	-	3	-	129	98	-	N	-	25
Clearview	Gary Oxford, Rt. 2, Box 193-F, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	5	16	63	23	12	8	58	15	9	-	4	12	225	200	15	Y	147
Clower	Allen Bollick, P.O. Box 370, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	20	58	27	16	24	107	46	8	6	4	-	316	141	-	Y	-
College Avenue	Warren Boyette, Rt. 7, Box 744, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	24	42	105	79	91	44	208	162	-	53	12	13	833	304	-	Y	-
Concord	Wade Yount, St., Rt. 3, Box 323, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	36	43	53	51	35	118	36	-	17	8	-	397	183	-	Y	-
Conways Chapel	R.A. Amas, Rt. 7, Box 21, Morgantown, N.C. 28655	-	-	5	3	-	4	15	5	-	-	3	-	35	26	-	N	-
Crest View	Larry Alvey, Rt. 5, Box 34-AA, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	44	64	42	25	33	103	38	-	-	7	-	356	148	-	N	-
Dry Ponds	Chuck Calloway, Rt. 4, Box 260, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	37	32	29	11	46	73	31	-	-	5	-	284	175	-	Y	-
Dudley Shoals	Bob Cauby, Rt. 1, Box 439-A, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	57	94	56	28	37	169	59	-	15	9	-	524	309	5	N	-
Edgmont		-	-	3	-	-	-	13	3	-	-	-	-	19	25	-	-	-
Fellowship	Marcus Sullivan, 571 Circle Dr., C-20-8, Hudson, N.C. 28638	3	29	19	37	20	32	68	15	-	-	3	-	226	89	-	N	-
Flemings Chapel		-	12	24	31	11	-	62	91	-	20	4	-	255	150	-	N	-
Friendship	James Fox, Rt. 2, Box 466-D1, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	36	57	47	14	57	101	20	-	-	8	-	340	180	-	N	-
Globe	No Letter																	
Grandin	Cecil Bowlin, 214 Whinell Place, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	1	2	3	2	1	4	8	-	-	-	-	21	14	-	Y	-
Granchview Park	Dennis Grouge, 115 Lamesa Ct., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	2	1	2	15	-	-	14	23	-	-	5	-	62	50	-	Y	-
TOTALS																		
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS																		

TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL										YEAR ENDING: August 31, 1999									
Association										(Month & Day)									
Salem																			
North Carolina																			
Associational Sunday School Director																			
Rev. Donald W. Ingie																			
Address										Site									
Route 1, Box 212										North Carolina									
Zip										28630									
SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES INCLUDE ZIP CODE																			
CHURCHES																			
Granite Falls First	Audley Frazier, 2 Providence St., Granite Falls, N.C.	28630	17	10	26	40	20	30	36	124	-	10	4	-	317	150	-	Y	-
Green Rock	No Letter																		
Green Valley	Richard Coffey, Star Rt. Box 63, Lenoir, N.C.	28645	-	2	5	-	-	1	9	8	-	-	5	-	30	25	-	N	-
Harris Chapel	Ralph Pope, 5 Greenwood Terrace, Granite Falls, N.C.	28630	-	109	278	179	72	102	258	60	-	10	5	265	1,338	654	-	Y	-
Harrisburg	Tom Watson, 204 Wall Atney Rd., Lenoir, N.C.	28645	4	7	10	24	7	7	32	-	-	-	1	-	92	50	-	N	-
Hartland	Brathel Pearch, Rt. 7, Hartland Rd., Morganton, N.C.	28655	-	12	16	-	17	41	22	-	-	3	-	127	82	-	N	-	97
Hibriten	Melvin Day, Blooming Rock Rd., Lenoir, N.C.	28645	-	9	30	22	-	19	39	12	-	5	-	136	99	-	N	-	110
Hudson First	Thomas Land, Jr., 300 Emerald St., Hudson, 28638		-	43	66	70	64	17	213	129	18	37	10	-	667	299	-	N	-
Johns River	No Letter																		
Kings Creek	Ms. Dare Teague, Rt. 1, Box 210, Boomer, N.C.	28606	-	21	24	25	7	8	48	44	-	25	4	-	206	114	-	N	-
Lakeview	Gerald Hawkins, 518 Scroggs St., N.W., Lenoir, N.C.	28645	-	17	11	13	8	23	36	24	-	-	9	-	135	54	-	Y	-
Lenoir First	David Gray, 1023 Bramblewood Ct., N.E., Lenoir, N.C.	28645	-	33	38	22	-	27	130	62	-	-	8	-	320	159	-	N	-
Liberty	No Letter																		
Livingston Memorial	Mack Foust, Rt. 1, Box 252, Boomer, N.C.	28606	3	3	10	4	1	8	14	7	-	-	2	-	52	43	-	N	-
Lovelady	No Letter																		
Lower Creek	Tom Franks, Rt. 1, Box 478-P, Lenoir, N.C.	28645	-	71	51	80	38	19	202	129	-	18	6	-	614	324	-	Y	-
Meadowbrook	June Ray Smith, Rt. 11, Box 280, Lenoir, N.C.	28645	-	50	68	45	21	20	124	27	-	5	4	13	377	217	-	Y	-
Miller Hill	Tony Scruggs, P.O. Box 47, Hudson, N.C.	28638	5	11	32	27	15	-	42	42	-	6	5	-	185	87	-	N	-
Mountain Grove	Mike White, P.O. Box 212, Hudson, N.C.	28638	12	25	64	73	65	154	169	111	-	22	4	-	700	-	-	Y	-
Mountain View	Douglas Clark, Rt. 10, Box 256, Lenoir, N.C.	28645	-	-	5	6	-	3	7	7	-	-	2	-	30	18	-	N	-
Mt. Carmel	Dennis Mullinax, Rt. 3, Box 984, Hudson, N.C.	28638	-	9	6	13	-	-	15	-	-	-	3	-	46	30	-	Y	-
Mt. Zion	Gary Miller, Rt. 2, Box 416-CC, Hudson, N.C.	28638	-	57	112	116	90	40	182	87	-	22	8	-	714	248	-	Y	-
Millberry	Eugene Greene, Rt. 8, Box 362-A, Lenoir, N.C.	28645	-	3	4	3	7	3	25	26	-	12	2	-	85	57	-	Y	-
Millvale	John Moore, Rt. 10, Box 375, Lenoir, N.C.	28645	-	2	14	10	3	11	8	3	-	7	-	7	58	37	-	Y	-
Nelsons Chapel	Patsy Bradshaw, P.O. Box 64, Patterson, N.C.	28661	5	5	13	7	-	13	6	10	-	2	-	-	61	40	-	N	-
TOTALS										PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS									

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Table C: Church Training

TABLE C CHURCH TRAINING			YEAR ENDING AUGUST 31		1986												
Association	State		(Month & Day)		74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86
Caldwell	North Carolina																
Association Church Training Director	State																
Address	City	State	Zip														
503 Connelly Springs Road	Lenoir	North Carolina	28645														
Rev. Stuart White	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESS (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)																
CHURCHES																	
Baton	Mrs. Bonita Annas, 2415 Vine St., Lenoir, N.C. 28645																
Bethany																	
Blairs Fork																	
Buffalo Cove																	
Cajahs Mountain																	
Calvary																	
Cedar Rock																	
Center Grove	Elmer Anderson, Rt. 3, Box 770, Hudson, N.C. 28638																
Central																	
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. Polly Crump, Rt. 11, Box 396, Lenoir, N.C. 28645																
Clearview																	
Clover	Mrs. Sandy Brown, 249 Holly St., C-83-1, Hudson, N.C. 28638																
College Avenue	John Wemack, 704 Ridgecrest Dr., Lenoir, N.C. 28645																
Concord	Bedford Starnes, 701 Dudley Shoals Rd., Granite Falls, N.C. 28630																
Conways Chapel																	
Crest View	Mr. Larry Spears, Rt. 2, Box 651 B, Lenoir, N.C. 28645																
Dry Ponds	Archie Miller, Rt. 4, Box 259, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630																
Dudley Shoals	Mr. David Thacker, Rt. 1, Box 318, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630																
Edgemont																	
Fellowship																	
Flemings Chapel																	
Friendship	Mary Wicker, 31 Terrace Dr., Granite Falls, N.C. 28630																
Globe	No Letter																
Grandin																	
Grandview Park																	
TOTALS																	
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS																	

TABLE C CHURCH TRAINING		YEAR ENDING	August 31	1988	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86
Association		Month & Day															
Site																	
Coldwell																	
North Carolina																	
Association Director																	
Rev. Stuart White																	
Address																	
503 Connelly Springs Road																	
City																	
Lenoir																	
State																	
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CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTIONS & ADDRESS (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)																	
CHURCHES																	
Granite Falls First																	
Green Rock																	
No Letter																	
Green Valley																	
Harris Chapel																	
Alfred Townsend, Rt. 2, Box 461, Hudson, N.C. 28638																	
Harrisburg																	
Shirley Sides, Rt. 7, Box 207, Morganton, N.C. 28655																	
Hartland																	
Hibriten																	
Hudson First																	
Mrs. Joe Grump, 299 Spruce Ave., CB-84-1, Hud., NC 28638																	
Johns River																	
No Letter																	
Kings Creek																	
Mrs. Judy Daughtridge, Rt. 1, Box 391-D, Lenoir, NC 28645																	
Lakeside																	
Shober Setzer, 112 Betts, Hudson, N.C. 28638																	
Lenoir First																	
12 18 28 120																	
Liberty																	
No Letter																	
Livingston Memorial																	
No Letter																	
Lower Creek																	
Rob Manning, 915 Plantation Dr., N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645																	
Peachcroft																	
Jerry Beason, Rt. 2, Box 501-C-1, Hudson, N.C. 28638																	
Miller Hill																	
L.H. Nelson, 508 Circle Dr., C-20-5, Hudson, N.C. 28638																	
Mountain Grove																	
John Jett, Jr., 1301 Overlook Dr., Lenoir, N.C. 28645																	
Mountain View																	
Mt. Camel																	
Mt. Zion																	
Mr. Floyd Annas, P.O. Drawer 620, G.F., N.C. 28640																	
Milberry																	
Milvale																	
Nelsons Chapel																	
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North Carolina	Mrs. Linda Smith, Rt. 2, Box 375, G.F., N.C. 28630		13	12	17	41	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table D: Church Music

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY			YEAR ENDING AUGUST 31 1986		87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98
Association			(Month & Day)		Preschool enrollment	Younger children's enrollment (6-8 years)	Older children's enrollment (9-11 years)	Youth enrollment (12-17 years)	Adult enrollment (18 and over)	Handbell ringers enrollment	Vocal ensembles enrollment	Instrumental ensembles enrollment	General music leaders enrollment	Enrollment of Missions of church	Total ongoing Music Ministry enrollment	Average weekly Music Ministry attendance*
State																
City																
Address																
Zip																
MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES INCLUDE ZIP CODE			28645													
CHURCHES																
Baton	Mrs. Martha Amas, Rt. 2, Box 466, Hudson, N.C. 28638				1	4	10	1	30	-	8	-	4	-	58	35
Bethany					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Blairs Fork	Gerald Brookshire, Old Blowing Rock Rd., Lenoir, N.C. 28645				7	7	3	8	15	-	-	3	4	-	47	-
Buffalo Cove	Mrs. Darlene Townsend, Rt. 5, Box 421, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				3	2	8	1	8	-	-	-	5	-	27	12
Cajamas Mountain	Tony Greer, 514 Union Grove Rd., Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-	-	-	2	18	-	-	2	2	-	24	15
Calvary	Robby James, P.O. Box 5606, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				5	4	7	15	55	-	10	3	6	-	105	50
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Helen Correll, 270 Wildwood Rd., Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-	-	-	3	18	-	3	-	2	-	26	16
Center Grove	Carroll Kirby, C-14-6146, Eastview St., Hudson, N.C. 28638				-	-	-	10	30	-	7	2	7	-	56	25
Central	Edgar Linberger, 1052-2 Cedar Hills Ct., S.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645				16	8	5	8	35	-	6	-	-	-	78	71
Clarks Chapel	Parks Underdown, 1348 Fairview Dr., S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-	-	-	-	32	-	4	1	5	-	42	16
Clearview	Floyd Games, 125 Mayfield Rd., Lenoir, N.C. 28645				10	12	12	15	30	-	5	3	2	-	89	30
Clover	Bill Sudreth, 449 Lacy Rd., Granite Falls, N.C. 28630				3	10	12	22	25	-	7	-	5	-	84	35
College Avenue	Kenneth R. Little, Rt. 1, Box 404-F, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				14	18	32	36	42	21	9	-	10	-	182	145
Concord	Terry Crouse, 2513 Central Dr., Lenoir, N.C. 28645				10	15	18	32	42	-	15	17	4	-	153	88
Conways Chapel	Richard Deal, Rt. 7, Box 244, Morganton, N.C. 28655				-	-	1	2	12	-	4	-	2	-	21	17
Crest View	Steve Robbins, Rt. 5, Box 512, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				2	10	14	10	31	-	10	7	11	-	95	78
Dry Ponds	Larry Hershenson, 643 Woodland St., Hudson, N.C. 28638				4	4	5	15	35	-	8	4	6	-	81	40
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. Tina Ferrell, 703 Dudley Shoals Rd., Granite Falls, N.C. 28630				-	7	10	15	25	-	5	-	3	-	65	35
Edgemont					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fellowship	Mrs. Jo Suttles, 163 Gaish Mtn. Rd., C-31-3, Hudson, N.C. 28638				6	-	-	-	25	-	6	-	4	-	41	18
Flornings Chapel	Reggie Greene, 922 Hawthorne Dr., Lenoir, N.C. 28645				5	4	-	9	24	-	10	-	1	-	53	25
Friendship	No letter				10	5	5	11	37	-	-	-	5	-	73	35
Globe					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grandin	Lemmie Eiler, Rt. 1, Box 551, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grandview Park	J.P. Cannon, Drexel, N.C.				-	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	3	-	23	23
			TOTALS													
			PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS													

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY												
Association		YEAR ENDING			August 31		1988					
Caldwell		Month & Day										
State												
North Carolina												
Association												
Brooks Walker												
Address												
City												
Lenoir												
State												
North Carolina												
Zip												
28645												
Route 3, Box 307												
CHURCHES												
MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)												
Mrs. Pamela Johnston, Rt. 5, Box 1310, Hickory, N.C. 28601												
No Letter												
Green Rock												
Green Valley												
Richard A. Coffey, Star Rt. Box 63, Lenoir, N.C. 28645												
Clyde Murray, Rt. 2, Box 393, Hudson, N.C. 28638												
Harris Chapel												
Harrisburg												
Ron Burgett, 1119 Meadowlane Dr., Lenoir, N.C. 28645												
Hartland												
Barry Mock, Rt. 6, Box 392, Lenoir, N.C. 28645												
Hibriten												
Russell Dula, 704-B Taylorsville Rd., S.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645												
Hudson First												
Don Almond, Rt. 1, Box 221-E, Hudson, N.C. 28638												
No Letter												
Johns River												
Kings Creek												
Larry Jump, Deep Forest Dr., Hudson, N.C. 28638												
Lakeview												
Mrs. Karen Setzer, 147-A Hibriten Mtn. Dr., Lenoir, N.C. 28645												
Lenoir First												
Mrs. Larry Hollar, 929 Hemlock Dr., N.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645												
Liberty												
No Letter												
Mack Foust, Rt. 1, Box 252, Boomer, N.C. 28606												
Livingston Memorial												
No Letter												
Inez Lady												
Gilbert E. Blackburn, 236 Tremont Park Dr., N.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645												
Lower Creek												
Dwayne Andrews, Rt. 1, Box 1359, Boomer, N.C. 28606												
Meadowbrook												
Bill Triplett, 105 S. Englewood, Lenoir, N.C. 28645												
Miller Hill												
Mack Fletcher, Rt. 2, Box 263-A, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630												
Mountain Grove												
Douglas Clark, Rt. 10, Box 256, Lenoir, N.C. 28645												
Mountain View												
Floyd Bumgarner, Rt. 3, Box 860, Hudson, N.C. 28638												
Mt. Camel												
Stephen G. Crouse, Rt. 3, Box 258, Hudson, N.C. 28638												
Mt. Zion												
Charles Thompson, Rt. 8, Box 215-A, Lenoir, N.C. 28645												
Mulberry												
Ms. Diane Hoyer, P.O. Box 74, Collettsville, N.C. 28611												
Milvale												
Mrs. Carmen Suddreth, Rt. 8, Box 219, Lenoir, N.C. 28645												
Nelsons Chapel												
TOTALS												
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS												
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TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY													
Association		YEAR ENDING August 31 (Month & Day)											
Cathwell													
Sire	North Carolina												
Assoc'd Music Director	Assoc'd Music Director												
Brooks Walker	Brooks Walker												
Address	City	State	Zip	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES INCLUDE ZIP CODE									
Route 3, Box 307	Lenoir	North Carolina	28645										
CHURCHES													
North Catawba	Brooks Walker, Rt. 3, Box 307, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	4	7	8	-	36	17	13	10	7	-	102	54
Oak Grove	James Mull, Jr., 2 Starnes St., Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	6	7	4	-	24	-	-	-	4	-	45	25
Piney Grove		-	-	-	5	15	-	-	2	4	-	26	12
Pisgah	No Letter												
Pooeys Chapel	Mrs. Carolyn Icard, 171 Calah Mtn., Rd., Hudson, N.C. 28638	2	4	8	10	23	-	8	3	5	-	63	50
Pooeys Grove		-	-	-	1	15	-	-	-	2	-	18	15
Rhodiss First	Harold Joplin, Helton Circle Dr., Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	-	-	-	25	-	2	2	3	-	32	35
Rocky Springs	Mike Moore, 352 Calico Rd., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	3	-	18	9
Rufus	Mrs. Laura West, Rt. B, Box 378-G, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Setzers Creek	Edgat Haab, Rt. 1, Box 142, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	-	6	14	32	-	-	-	4	-	56	40
Sunrise	Billy Shores, 505 Lincoln Lane, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Temple Hill	Bobby Parsons, 112 Wonderland Trail, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	62	50
Union	Rodney Smith, Rt. 2, Box 330, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	10	-	25	30	-	-	-	3	-	68	40
Union Grove	Mrs. Carolyn Efrid, 246 Union Grove Rd., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	2	8	10	12	32	-	13	-	3	-	80	50
West Lenoir	Curtis Harrington, 207 Fairview Dr., N.W. Lenoir, N.C. 28645	3	7	5	15	60	-	3	10	6	-	109	109
Whitnel First	Marshall Johnson, Rt. 2, Box 307-F, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	-	-	-	40	-	-	-	6	-	46	20
Yadkin	Sherrill German, P.O. Box 254, Patterson, N.C. 28661	-	7	10	24	28	11	4	-	4	-	88	51
Yadkin Valley	Dale Clark, Rt. 5, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	-	-	3	20	-	7	-	3	-	33	16
Zacks Fork	Mrs. Brenda Borders, P.O. Box 1048, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	11	13	19	40	-	10	-	4	-	97	-
Free Spirit	No Letter												
New Life	Robert Bolick, Rt. 1, Box 554-S, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	-	-	1	10	-	-	-	3	-	14	10
										</			

Table E: Woman's Missionary Union

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION										1988		YEAR ENDING		August 31		(Month & Day)																																							
Association										99	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113																															
State										Number of Organizations										Enrollment																																			
North Carolina										Mission Friends (5 years and under)										Girls in Action (5-17 years or grades 1-6)										Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)										Baptist Women (30 and over)								Mission Friends (5 years and under)							
Associational WMU Director										Girls in Action (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)										Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)										Baptist Women (30 and over)										Mission Friends (5 years and under)															
Mrs. Joann Probst										Girls in Action (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)										Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)										Baptist Women (30 and over)										Mission Friends (5 years and under)															
Address										Girls in Action (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)										Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)										Baptist Women (30 and over)										Mission Friends (5 years and under)															
63 Duke Power Road										Girls in Action (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)										Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)										Baptist Women (30 and over)										Mission Friends (5 years and under)															
WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)										Girls in Action (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)										Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)										Baptist Women (30 and over)										Mission Friends (5 years and under)															
CHURCHES										Girls in Action (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)										Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)										Baptist Women (30 and over)										Mission Friends (5 years and under)															
Baton	Mrs. Becky Brown, Rt. 2, Box 347, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630									1	1	1	1	2	5	2	8	4	4	1	21	1	-	-	36	Total ongoing WMU enrollment +																													
Bethany										-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-																														
Blairs Fork										-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-																														
Buffalo Cove										-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-																														
Cajaha Mountain	Gail Kirby, Rt. 2, Box 15, Kaylor Dr., Granite Falls, N.C. 28630									1	1	1	1	1	4	3	4	3	3	15	3	-	-	28																															
Calvary										-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-																														
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Helen Correll, 270 Wildwood Rd., Lenoir, N.C. 28645									-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1																															
Center Grove	Mrs. Melvin Lail, Rt. 1, Box 480, Hudson, N.C. 28638									1	1	1	1	1	6	15	12	8	8	43	4	-	-	90																															
Central	Nancy Hines, 108 Dove St., Lenoir, N.C. 28645									1	1	1	1	2	5	5	8	8	18	5	-	-	44																																
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. J.B. Anglev, 104 Kaylor Dr., Lenoir, N.C. 28645									-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	5	-	11	1	-	17																															
Cleaview										-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-																															
Clover	Mrs. Mary Suddreth, 449 Lacy Rd., Granite Falls, N.C. 28630									2	2	2	1	1	8	15	22	12	20	21	6	-	-	96																															
College Avenue	Charlene Clark, 1017 Olive Ave., S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645									2	3	1	-	9	15	15	16	14	-	88	11	-	-	144																															
Concord	Mrs. Brenda Childers, 5 Circle Dr., Granite Falls, N.C. 28630									1	1	-	2	-	4	7	12	-	-	34	1	-	-	54																															
Conways Chapel										-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-																															
Crest View	Mrs. Rayma Lou Robbins, Rt. 8, Box 508, Lenoir, N.C. 28645									1	1	1	1	1	5	26	13	11	18	21	7	-	-	96																															
Dry Ponds	Louise Bowman, Rt. 4, Box 200, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630									1	1	1	1	2	6	4	8	8	14	28	6	-	-	68																															
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. Alma Helton, Rt. 5, Box 1450, Hickory, N.C. 28601									2	4	2	2	2	12	25	35	23	15	75	8	-	-	181																															
Edgemont										-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-																														
Fellowship										1	-	1	-	1	3	6	-	5	-	5	-	27	2	-	-	40																													
Flannings Chapel										1	1	1	-	2	5	14	11	10	-	35	1	-	-	71																															
Friendship	Audrey Duncan, Rt. 2, Box 207, Hudson, N.C. 28638									1	3	1	1	1	7	10	31	15	19	15	2	-	-	92																															
Globe	No letter									-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-																														
Grandin										-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-																														
Grandview Park	Mrs. Faye Watson, 2303 Morganton Blvd., Lenoir, N.C. 28645									-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	12	2	-	-	14																														
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TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION			YEAR ENDING		August 31		1986	
Association			(Month & Day)					
California								
State	North Carolina	Association	Civ.	Granite Falls	State	North Carolina	Zip	28630
CHURCHES								
Granite Falls First								
Green Rock								
Green Valley								
Harris Chapel								
Harrisburg								
Hartland								
Hibriten								
Hudson First								
Johns River								
Kings Creek								
Lakeview								
Lenoir First								
Liberty								
Livingston Memorial								
Lovelady								
Lower Creek								
Mocksw Creek								
Miller Hill								
Mountain Grove								
Mountain View								
Mt. Carmel								
Mt. Zion								
Mulberry								
Mulvale								
Nelsons Chapel								
TOTALS								
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS								

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TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION										YEAR ENDING <u>AUGUST 31</u>		1998																					
										(Month & Day)																							
										98	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113									
										Number of Organizations													Enrollment										
										Mission Friends (15 years and under - not in school)	Girls in action (6-17 years or grades 1-6)	Actives (17-29 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or grades 13-18)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Missions of church	Total number of organizations	Mission Friends (15 years and under - not in school)	Girls in Action (6-17 years or grades 1-6)	Actives (17-29 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or grades 13-18)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Missions of church	Total ongoing WMU enrollment									
										WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)																							
										CHURCHES																							
State	North Carolina			City		State		Zip		North Carolina																							
	Association Caldwell			Address		City		State		28630																							
										Mrs. Sharon Crump, 548 Connelly Springs Rd., Lenoir, N.C. 28645																							
										Bertha Harrison, Rt. 3, Box 587, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630																							
										Mrs. Debbie McLean, 146 Piney Grove Circle, Lenoir, N.C. 28645																							
										No Letter																							
										Patty Goffey, Rt. 1, Box 359, Hudson, N.C. 28638																							
										Mrs. Pearl Hawkins, Rt. 3, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630																							
										Joanne Propst, 63 Duke Power Rd., Granite Falls, N.C. 28630																							

Table F: Brotherhood

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD		YEAR ENDING		August 31		1988	
				(Month & Day)			
Association	Calldwell	Sue	North Carolina	State 2	Box 514-A	CHURCHES	
BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)							
Address	City	State	Box	Zip	Code		
Baton	Mr. Ronnie Holman, Rt. 2, Box 448, Granite Falls, N.C.	28630					
Bethany							
Blairs Fork							
Buffalo Cove							
Cajahs Mountain	Charles Lingle, 2930 Dry Ponds Rd., Granite Falls, N.C.	28630					
Calvary							
Cedar Rock							
Center Grove	Richard Keener, Rt. 3, Box 785, Hudson, N.C.	28638					
Central	George Hamby, 212 Olde Well Rd., Hudson, N.C.	28638					
Clarks Chapel	Pony Bowen, Rt. 2, Box 211, Hudson, N.C.	28638					
Clearview							
Clover	Benn Calloway, 11 Winding Creeks Lane, Granite Falls, N.C.	28630					
College Avenue	Curtis Moore, 715 Pennell St., N.E., Lenoir, N.C.	28645					
Concord	Charles Worcester, Rt. 3, Box 315 C-1, Granite Falls, N.C.	28630					
Conways Chapel							
Crest View	Larry Spears, Rt. 2, Box 651B, Lenoir, N.C.	28645					
Dry Ponds	Chester Elliott, 200 Union Church Rd., Granite Falls, N.C.	28630					
Dixley Shoals							
Edgemont							
Fallowship							
Flemings Chapel							
Friendship	James Hampton, Rt. 2, Box 439A, Granite Falls, N.C.	28630					
Globe	No Letter						
Garden							
Grandview Park	Rodney Arney, 120 D. Spencer Highway, Lenoir, N.C.	28645					
TOTALS							
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS							

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD			YEAR ENDING		August 31	1944	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123
Association			YEAR ENDING		August 31	1944	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123
State			YEAR ENDING		August 31	1944	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123
North Carolina			YEAR ENDING		August 31	1944	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123
Associational Brotherhood Director			YEAR ENDING		August 31	1944	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123
Larry Haldeman			YEAR ENDING		August 31	1944	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123
4000 E. Box 514-A			YEAR ENDING		August 31	1944	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123
Clt. Hudson			YEAR ENDING		August 31	1944	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123
North Carolina			YEAR ENDING		August 31	1944	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123
28638			YEAR ENDING		August 31	1944	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123
BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)			YEAR ENDING		August 31	1944	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123
CHURCHES			YEAR ENDING		August 31	1944	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123
Granite Falls First	Wayne Sullivan, P.O. Box 475, Hudson, N.C. 28638															
	No Letter															
Green Rock																
Green Valley																
Harris Chapel																
Harrisburg	David Houser, Rt. 4, Box 12, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630															
Hartland																
Hartland	Ed Eller, Rt. 6, Box 485, Lenoir, N.C. 28645															
Hibriton																
Hudson First																
Hudson First	Larry Haldeman, Rt. 2, Box 514-A, Hudson, N.C. 28638															
Johns River																
Kings Creek	Ken Smith, Rt. 1, Box 476-D, Lenoir, N.C. 28645															
Lakeview	Ray Austin, Jr., Rt. 2, Box 560, Hudson, N.C. 28638															
Lenoir First																
Liberty																
Livingston Memorial																
Lovelady																
Lower Creek	Zeno Hames, 409 Cottrell Hill Rd., Lenoir, N.C. 28645															
Meadowbrook																
Miller Hill	L.B. Nelson, 580 Circle Dr., C-20-5, Hudson, N.C. 28638															
Mountain Grove																
Mountain View	Clifford Robbins, Rt. 2, Box 309, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630															
Mt. Carmel																
Mt. Zion	Floyd Bumgarner, Rt. 3, Box 860, Hudson, N.C. 28638															
Malberry																
Malvale																
Nelsons Chapel	Ernest Greer, 410 N.W. High Cir., Lenoir, N.C. 28645															
TOTALS			TOTALS		TOTALS		TOTALS		TOTALS		TOTALS		TOTALS		TOTALS	
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS			PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS		PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS		PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS		PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS		PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS		PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS		PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS	

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD		YEAR ENDING August 31		1988	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123
Association		(Month & Day)												
Caldwell														
State														
North Carolina														
Associational Brotherhood Director														
Larry H. Oberman														
Route 2, Box 514-A														
		City	State											
		Hudson	North Carolina	Zip										
				28630										
BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES INCLUDE ZIP CODES														
CHURCHES														
North Catawba					3	3	6	1	1	2	5	1	-	22
Mark Watson, Rt. 3, Box 319-B, Lenoir, N.C. 28645														
Oak Grove					8	2	3	1	-	-	10	1	-	25
Jake Harrison, 3 Spring Valley Dr., Granite Falls, N.C. 28630														
Piney Grove					-	-	-	-	-	-	9	1	-	10
Baxter Decker, 2125 Wendwood Dr., Lenoir, N.C. 28645														
Pisgah														
No Letter														
Poveys Chapel					-	1	6	1	3	-	6	2	-	19
Jerrell Laws, Rt. 1, Box 220-AA, Hudson, N.C. 28638														
Poveys Grove					-	-	-	-	-	-	11	2	-	13
Stirl Dula, Rt. 5, Box 104, Hickory, N.C. 28601														
Rhodhiss First					-	8	8	3	3	-	25	3	-	50
Roger Hyatt, P.O. Box 799, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630														
Rocky Springs					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rufus					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Setzers Creek					-	-	5	-	-	-	12	4	-	21
Lloyd Nichols, 118 Piney Grove Cir., Lenoir, N.C. 28645														
Sunrise					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Temple Hill					17	10	13	-	-	-	10	-	-	50
Larry Teeters, Route 2, Lenoir, N.C. 28645					-	14	16	-	-	-	15	6	-	51
Union Grove					3	3	4	4	8	12	8	5	-	47
William Rogers, 19 Woodside Terrace, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630														
West Lenoir					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stewart Land, 114 Ropedale Dr., Lenoir, N.C. 28645					4	6	6	2	3	-	16	1	-	38
Whitnel First					-	4	6	1	2	7	21	6	-	47
Bill Swanson, 2136 Wendwood Dr., Lenoir, N.C. 28645					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Yadkin Valley					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zacka Fork					12	5	3	-	-	-	8	3	-	31
Bruce E. Lovins, P.O. Box 104B, Lenoir, N.C. 28645														
Free Spirit					-	-	-	-	6	4	10	1	-	21
New Life					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
No Letter														
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Table G: Local Receipts, Local Expenditures & Stewardship

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DISTRICTS

GROUP 1—COLLETESVILLE

Conways Chapel
Edgemont
Globe
Green Valley
Johns River
Mountain View
Mulberry
Mulvale
Rocky Springs
Rufus

GROUP 2—PATTERSON

Bethany
Buffalo Cove
Crest View
Green Rock
Nelsons Chapel
Piney Grove
Setzers Creek
Yadkin
Yadkin Valley

GROUP 3—LENOIR NORTH

Blairs Fork
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Cedar Rock
Grandin
Kings Creek
Lenoir First
Liberty
Livingston Memorial
Lower Creek
Union
Zacks Fork

GROUP 4—LENOIR SOUTH

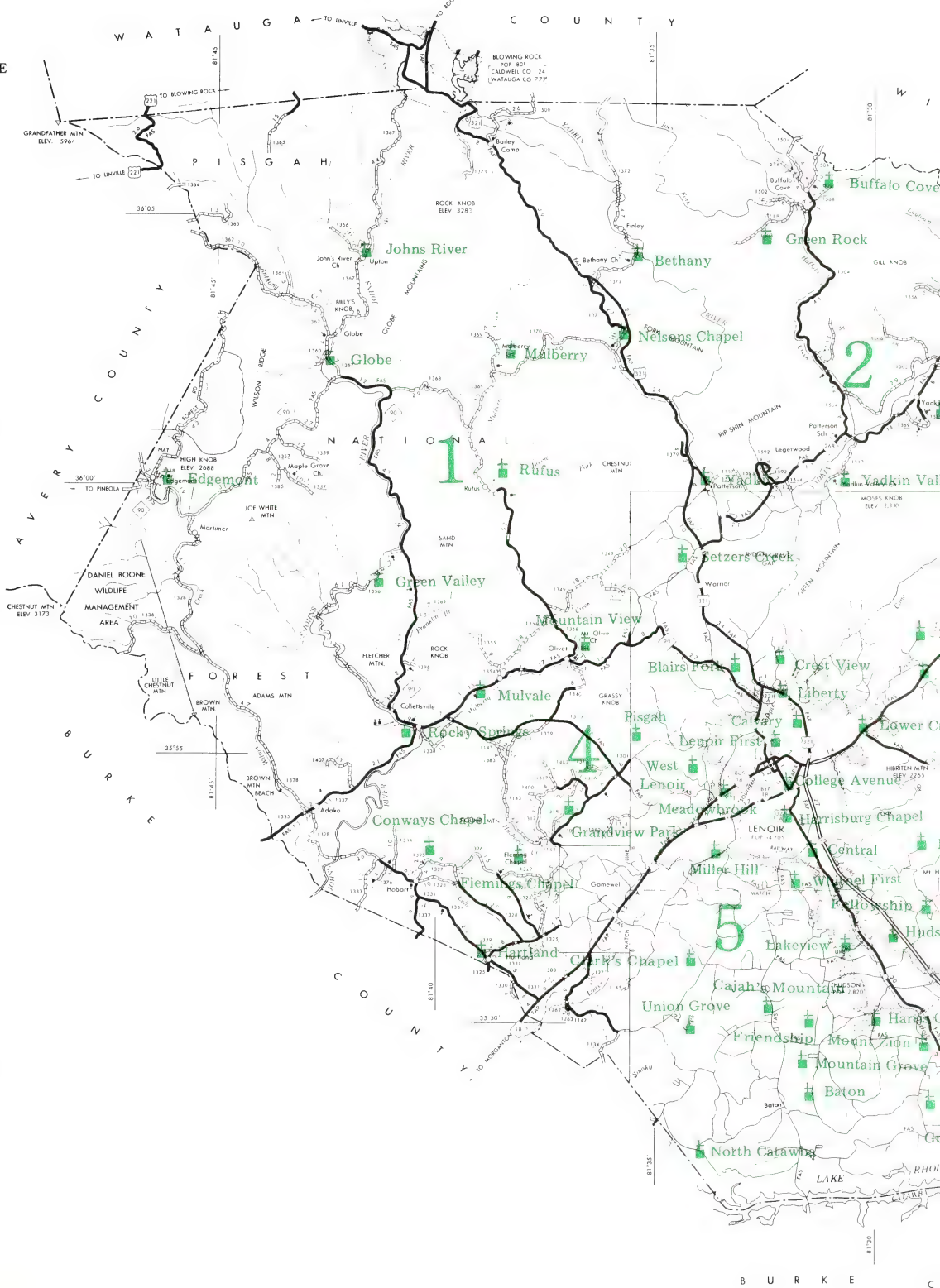
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Flemings Chapel
Grandview Park
Harrisburg Chapel
Hartland
Hibriten
Meadowbrook
Miller Hill
Pisgah
West Lenoir
Whitnel First

GROUP 5—HUDSON

Baton
Cajah's Mountain
Clark's Chapel
Clearview
Fellowship
Friendship
Harris Chapel
Hudson First
Lakeview
Mountain Grove
North Catawba
Poovey's Chapel
Union Grove

GROUP 6—GRANITE FALLS

Center Grove
Clover
Concord
Dry Ponds
Dudley Shoals
Granite Falls First
Lovelady
Mount Carmel
Mount Zion
Oak Grove
Poovey's Grove
Rhodhiss First
Sunrise
Temple Hill



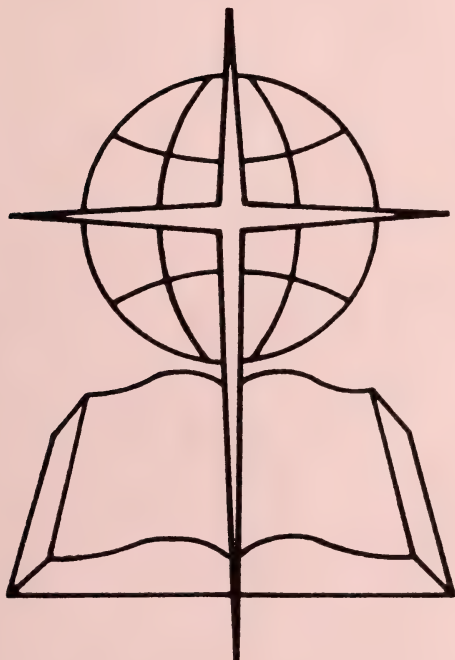
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**1989
ANNUAL MINUTES**



**CALDWELL
BAPTIST
ASSOCIATION**

**Caldwell County
North Carolina**

1989 Meetings of the Messengers
CALDWELL BAPTIST
ASSOCIATION

WINTER QUARTERLY MEETING

January 26, 1989
First Baptist Church
Hudson, North Carolina

Theme: *"Preparing the Way for a Dream Come True"*

Dr. Billy Rivers, Moderator

Ann Hatton, Clerk

SPRING QUARTERLY MEETING

April 27, 1989
Mount Zion Baptist Church
Sawmills, North Carolina

Theme: *"Preparing the Way for a Spiritual Renewal"*

Dr. Billy Rivers, Moderator

Ann Hatton, Clerk

SUMMER QUARTERLY MEETING

July 27, 1989
Dudley Shoals Baptist Church
Granite Falls, North Carolina

Theme: *"Preparing the Way for a New Decade"*

Rev. Glenn Walker, Vice-Moderator

Ann Hatton, Clerk

FALL QUARTERLY MEETING
105th ANNUAL MEETING

October 26, 1989
Harrisburg Baptist Church
Lenoir, North Carolina

October 27, 1989
Oak Grove Baptist Church
Granite Falls, North Carolina

Theme: *"Here's Hope: Reaching People with the Master's Message"*

Rev. Glenn Walker, Moderator

Ann Hatton, Clerk

1989 ANNUAL MINUTES

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ANNUAL REPORTS

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY REPORT

Mrs. Ruth Greene
Baton Baptist Church

Since 1816 the American Bible Society has been serving the Scripture needs of churches in this country and has helped to meet the needs of people throughout the world. It is the Society's belief that God's Word is the very foundation of our mission to all whom we attempt to reach and serve in the name of Christ Having God's Word in the people's language is imperative for the greatest success of this work.

The American Bible Society and its United Bible Society partners are ready to greatly accelerate a program of Scripture translation which provides the Biblical text in the contemporary speech of more and more people throughout the world. Each year the Bible Societies publish the Scriptures in some of the many languages in which no part of the Bible has previously appeared. During 1988 the United Bible Societies published new scriptures, including first-ever New Testaments and complete Bibles in 23 languages, in which at least one book of the Bible has been published to the impressive figure of 1,907.

Today Christianity's center of gravity has shifted from the northern part of the globe to its southern regions, from the First to the Third World. This shift from "north" to "south," from the First to the Third World is reflected in the history of Scripture translation during the century. By 1900, the Bible had been translated in full or in part in 519 languages. Of these, 193 were languages of the northern hemisphere, representing 37% of the total. In 1988, the Scripture language count reached 1,907. However, only 256 of these are "northern" languages, representing a mere 15.5% of the total. This unparalleled expansion of Christianity during our present century has gone hand in hand with the increasing availability of the Holy Scriptures.

The American Bible Society, whose witness through the United Bible Societies, is currently present in more than 180 lands and in over 550 languages, is therefore acutely aware of the global nature of the church's mission. Last year this awareness was expressed through the introduction of new programs of distribution and increased assistance to various translation projects in all parts of the world.

The active interest and faithful gifts of the churches in the United States have done much to make the accomplishments of 1988 possible, but this support has not been adequate for the task at hand. Over the last ten years, the portion of total annual American Bible Society income provided by churches has dropped by 1.7%, while the American Bible Society annual budget has risen 47.9% in the same period.

A new and revitalized partnership needs to be forged between the American Bible Society and the churches of America in order to take on the new and heightened responsibilities we are facing for meeting the global demand for God's Word. As we head into the last decade of this century, let us hope our churches will prayerfully consider how to enlarge their spiritual witness throughout the world through increased support of the American Bible Society.

Respectfully submitted,
Ruth Greene, Representative

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

Rev. Frank Colburn
Lower Creek Baptist Church

The Annuity Board continues to blaze trails in its effort to “serve those who serve the Lord”. The effort put into planning and promoting the Expanded Church Annuity Plan continues to bear amazing results which will multiply manifold down through the years. Goals set by the Annuity Board trustees for 1989 include:

Developing a long term care plan suitable to Southern Baptist ministers and their families;

Working through the Church Alliance to provide an approved IRA or to restore the tax deductible option of the Voluntary Annuity Plan;

Providing more choices for ministers seeking to meet the needs for family insurance protection;

Continuing to work hard to control health care costs;

Developing materials on financial planning;

Continuing to make churches and ministers aware of retirement and insurance plans.

Significant progress has occurred in meeting many of these goals. A new and vastly improved insurance program is being offered under the name ChurchLife. There will be four plans from which to choose. In addition to other improvements there has been an increase in the amounts of insurance that can be carried out in retirement.

It is astounding to see the growth of the Annuity Board and its ministry to ministers across the Southern Baptist Convention. There were, at the end of March 1989, 19,972 annuitants who received \$20,246,625. There were 472 recipients to Adopt-An-Annuitant grants, totaling \$67,775, and 409 monthly relief grants and 180 monthly expense grants, receiving a total of \$142,914. The AB assets at the end of March were \$2,460,709,118, most of which belongs to Southern Baptist ministers who participate in the retirement plans.

Efforts continue to be made which will help churches and ministers have a plan for retirement. Each church is encouraged to be a responsible employer and to make every effort to see that ministers participate by providing its contribution to the plan for those who serve the Lord in that church. It should be a condition of calling, both for the church and the minister, that the minister be covered. It is protection — both for the church and the minister.

This is what is happening in North Carolina:

- There have been 27 new members enrolled in the retirement plans during the period April 1-June 30.
- There have been 61 plan upgrades during this period.
- There are now 2162 North Carolina churches and associations contributing to retirement plans.
- North Carolina has 1892 signed Cooperative Agreements! More than any other state!
- The number of churches participating at the old Plan A level of \$33.34 has *decreased* from 439 to 92.
- The average annuitant in North Carolina receives \$249.96 a month, up from \$234 last year.

- North Carolina has 3,406 members making contributions to Annuity Board retirement plans.
- There are 1,764 annuitants receiving benefits each month in North Carolina — \$440,929.89 each month!

It is exciting to think about what has been done to help ministers retire with dignity. Strong efforts have been made to make all of our churches (and ministers) aware of the opportunities and the need to act on them.

But there is still so much to be done! Consider these facts:

- Only 64% of our churches are participating in our retirement plans — even after all these years of opportunity.
- Of this 64%, many do not actually make contributions. The minister does this on his own.
- Small contributions make the annuitant's benefits small:

In North Carolina

- 184 receive less than \$50
- 493 receive less than \$100
- 1006 receive less than \$200
- 1287 receive less than \$300
- We have 151 churches that have signed the Cooperative Agreement, but still make no contribution.
- We have 457 churches that are making contributions but still have not signed the Cooperative Agreement.

Suffice it is to say that there is a *great* challenge still before us to help ministers prepare for the future and to help churches be responsible employers.

Let's keep up the good work.

Respectfully submitted,
Frank Colburn, Representative

ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. R. Dale Fisher
Mount Zion Baptist Church

The Associational Council consists of the general directors of all mission performance programs, the associational officers, the associational office staff, the heads of each fellowship group, and the chairmen of the Finance and Strategy Committees. The purpose of the council is to plan and coordinate the overall program and calendar of the association.

In order to fulfill its purpose, the council has met four times this past year. On November 29, 1988, January 17 and March 21, 1989 the council met to do quarterly planning. An annual calendar planning meeting was conducted on June 20 for the 1989-90 Associational Year. The council presented a "Calendar of Activities" for October 1, 1989 through December 31, 1990 to the messengers at the Summer Quarterly Meeting in July.

To better equip the council members for their various responsibilities, many of them attended the Key Leadership Conference for associational leaders at the Ridgecrest Baptist Conference Center on May 15-16, 1989. This annual training event is sponsored by the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

During the 1989-90 Associational Year, the council will meet on the second Tuesday of October, January, April and July to coordinate the overall work of the association. On January 30, 1990 an orientation meeting will be conducted for the newly elected 1990-91 Associational Council. The 1990-91 Calendar of Activities of the Association will be compiled by the 1990-91 Council on June 19 and will be presented to the messengers on July 26, 1990 at the Summer Quarterly Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,
Dale Fisher, Director
Associational Council

ASSOCIATIONAL MEETINGS COMMITTEE

Terry Barnes
College Avenue Baptist Church

The Associational Meetings Committee is responsible for planning and conducting the quarterly and called meetings of the messengers. The committee came into existence on October 1, 1988. This has been the first year for quarterly meetings of the messengers.

The Winter Quarterly Meeting was held on January 26, 1989 at the First Baptist Church of Hudson. On April 27, the Mt. Zion Baptist Church hosted the Spring Quarterly Meeting. The Summer Quarterly Meeting was conducted at the Dudley Shoals Baptist Church on July 27. The Harrisburg and Oak Grove Baptist Churches are hosting the 105th Annual Meeting on October 26-27.

1990 ASSOCIATIONAL QUARTERLY MEETINGS

Winter Meeting:	Thursday, January 25, 1990, 7:00 P.M. Miller Hill Baptist Church Theme: "Here's Hope: Praying for the Master's Power"
Spring Meeting:	Thursday, April 19, 1990, 7:00 P.M. First Baptist Church, Granite Falls Theme: "Here's Hope: Proclaiming the Master's Call"
Summer Meeting:	Thursday, July 26, 1990, 7:00 P.M. Yadkin Baptist Church Theme: "Here's Hope: Carrying Out the Master's Mission"
Fall (Annual) Meeting	Thursday, October 25, 1990, 7:00 P.M. Clover Baptist Church Friday, October 26, 1990, 9:15 A.M. Lower Creek Baptist Church

Respectfully submitted,
Terry Barnes, Chairman
Associational Meetings Committee

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA INC. REPORT

Mrs. Donna Lail

Dudley Shoals Baptist Church

Like salmon, Baptist Children's Homes this year struggled upstream to get ahead of the problems that plague America's children and families.

While maintaining group care services in place since 1885, BCH also inaugurated two innovative services in Care House, the first home for teen-age mothers and their babies we know of anywhere and the Philpott Parent Aide Program.

Care House, where five teen-age mothers will learn to parent their babies, was dedicated June 4 during services at Lenoir's Lower Creek Baptist Church. Also dedicated then was the Marguerite Noel Home for Girls, our second behavior change home.

Until Care House, a young girl who had a child often could not return home. If she wanted to bear her child and keep it, the child had to go to one foster care home and the mother to another until she was of age.

The Noel Home, like Moody Home in Franklin, cares for girls whose difficult behavior prohibits them from living at home or in traditional group care settings.

On June 21 BCH dedicated the Philpott Parent Aide Program in Davidson County. Trained volunteers will establish relationships with homes labeled "at risk" for child abuse. The volunteer will be counselor and friend, critic and confidant to help families spot and correct areas that lead to child abuse or neglect.

With renewed emphasis on church communication, BCH named two men to act as directors of church relations and planned giving. Charles Tanner and Bill Morrow will arrange BCH speakers for your church and help your members with estate planning.

BCH continues to implement "intentionalized services" according to the long-range plan it adopted in April 1988. Peer culture therapy is being utilized on children at Odum Home and Noel Home and is being phased in at Mills Home. This program makes the children more responsible, both for themselves and others in their cottage.

BCH continues to garner popular support with North Carolina Baptists who contributed \$1.52 million through the Cooperative Program last year. In the 1988-89 fiscal year, more than \$1 million has been received in bequests.

The executive committee of the General Board of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina this year declined to adopt a report of a special study committee that would have drastically reduced BCH's share of the Cooperative Program. The committee recommended, and the General Board supported, a return of individual special offerings to Baptist Children's Homes, Baptist Retirement Homes and Baptist Hospital. All three social services agencies support such a move, which would eliminate the Homes and Hospital Offering they share. The state convention will vote on that proposal in November.

BCH, which began as an orphanage in Thomasville in 1885, operates four group care campuses, eight emergency care homes, a home for unwed mothers, a teen mother/baby home, two behavior change homes for girls, therapeutic camping and a model child development center. It has work in 17 locations across the state, serving more than 1,000 children and families each year.

All campuses and facilities welcome involvement by local churches, RAs, GAs, WMUs and Sunday school departments. Baptist support is strong for children and families and we pray it will continue to strengthen as needs grow every day.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Donna Lail, Representative

BAPTIST FOUNDATION REPORT

Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell
First Baptist Church Lenoir

STUDENT LEADERSHIP ENDOWMENT ESTABLISHED: An endowment in memory of Quentin M. Perreault of Charlotte was established in May by friends in the Baptist Campus Ministry Division at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte. Rev. Perreault initiated the Baptist Campus Ministry Division on the Charlotte Campus and was the University's first Baptist Campus Minister. He was described as a man of courage and died in March, 1989.

The fund will produce annual income to financially assist students with expenses of attending various Baptist Student Leadership training programs throughout the academic year. It was established with the approval of James Y. Greene, Director of the Youth and Campus Ministry division of the Baptist State Convention. The North Carolina Foundation drew up the agreement.

The Fred Eaves Family Scholarship Fund supports N. C. Baptist College and Seminary Students and was established this year. It was done as a memorial by Mrs. Eaves to her husband and her son, Fred Eaves, Jr.

GROUNDBREAKING: Nearly 250 friends of the Foundation gathered on the Convention Building lawn on July 31, 1989 to witness a historic moment in the life of the Oldest State Baptist Foundation. Chartered in 1919, the Foundation held groundbreaking for its first building after 70 years of operating from the Convention building.

Special recognitions were made by the campaign's Honorary Chairman, C. C. Hope, Jr., to major donors Marguerite W. Noel, of Kannapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph E. Currin of Lillington and the Broyhill Family and Foundation of Lenoir. Mr. Hope also presented a special recognition to Joseph Gordon Maddrey in behalf of his mother, Jr. Mabel Claire Maddrey and the Maddrey Family of Raleigh for their consistent support of the Foundation over the years from the time her husband became the Organization's first executive director in 1962.

Roy J. Smith called the groundbreaking "symbolic and significant" as "the Foundation CALLS US TO FACT THAT WE ARE STEWARDS, ACCOUNTABLE FOR WHAT WE HAVE, NOW AND FOREVER."

GRATEFUL FOR EDWIN S. COATES, DIRECTOR: Mr. Coates has continued to lead N. C. Baptists to care, and we are grateful that there are people in the Caldwell Baptist Association who have seen the value of this phase of our Southern Baptist Work in North Carolina.

Respectfully submitted,
Elizabeth J. Campbell,
Representative

BAPTIST HOSPITAL OF NORTH CAROLINA REPORT

Rev. Kenneth Little
College Avenue Baptist Church

The past year at Baptist Hospital has been characterized by growth in facilities and personnel, advancement in medical technology and continuation of the spirit of personal concern which springs from the hospital's Christian heritage and its denominational tie.

Occupation of the new North Tower is almost complete, increasing the hospital's bed capacity to 806. Construction of the Clinical Sciences Building is expected to be completed by 1990. The Medical Center Boulevard is currently being moved to make ready for expansion of the Patient/Visitor Parking Deck. Two new helicopter pads, one for the AirCare helicopter and a second for helicopters from other medical centers, will be located on top of the parking deck. The J. Paul Sticht Center on Aging will be built on the approximate site of the current helicopter pad. These new facilities will make it possible not only for our hospital to serve more people but to serve them better.

In recent months the hospital's Level One Trauma Center has seen further development of its critical care transportation system by adding to the helicopter ambulance service its own neonatal ambulance for critically ill infants. The CommView Computer System, developed jointly by the Department of Radiology and AT&T, digitizes images, stores large volumes of data and transmits the images via fiberoptic cable throughout the Medical Center and via satellite to other hospitals without any x-ray film. Some brain tumors can now be successfully treated by implanting a tiny radioactive pellet directly into the tumor. Other types of cancer can be treated by hyperthermia which carefully focuses microwaves to raise temperatures inside a tumor to 102 degrees to 105 degrees Fahrenheit to kill or injure cancer cells. A technique called Mohs Micrographic Surgery allows the removal of skin cancer with minimal damage to normal skin.

These and other advances in patient care attract patients from across the country and around the world. Last year the 22,100 persons admitted to Baptist Hospital came from almost every county in North Carolina, from thirty-five states, and from eight foreign countries.

The Department of Pastoral Care continues its ministries to: the patient in the hospital; the family and friends of patients; the medical staff who minister to the patient; the person requesting counseling in our centers in Winston-Salem, Fayetteville, Morganton, Charlotte, Rockingham, North Wilkesboro; the ministers who seek our courses in clinical instruction, equipping them for specialized and pastoral ministries.

Added to these are our "Pastors' Sabbath" and "Interim Church" programs, as we work closely with the North Carolina Baptist State Convention in addressing the needs of pastors and churches.

We renew our commitment to the faithful delivery of pastoral care, beginning in our Medical Center and reaching around the world.

Baptist Hospital continues to feel the effect of the health care personnel shortage, especially as it attempts to open new facilities. However, we do not have any beds closed due to shortages. The Code Blue Program in high schools of northwestern North Carolina and the appeal to Baptist youth through Acteens is also creating interest in health care careers.

During the past fiscal year Baptist Hospital received \$668,937.39 through the Cooperative Program and \$303,133.07 through the Homes nad Hospital Offering, including church gifts directly to the hospital. The hospital staff and patients are grateful for the services made possible by these gifts.

Respectfully submitted,
Kenneth Little, Representative

BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA

Rev. A. J. Singley
Mountain View Baptist Church

1989: IT WAS A VERY GOOD YEAR

This marks the 38th year of ministry by the Baptist Retirement Homes to the Baptist Older Adults of this State.

Charged in 1951 with the mission of providing residential care for "Aged Saints," the Homes provide care for Older Adults in five locations across the state (Albemarle, Asheville, Hamilton, Winston-Salem, and Yanceyville).

A new continuing care retirement community, Brookridge, located in Winston-Salem will open for operation in the fall of 1989.

Recognizing the growing need for quality residential care for Older Adults, the Board of Trustees of the Retirement Homes has formulated a three-pronged long-range plan to meet this need:

- To work with churches and associations in the development of regional continuing-care retirement communities in the West, the Piedmont, and the East.
- To work with churches and associations in the development of "free-standing" residential housing (independent-living units, assisted-living units, and nursing-care units).
- To work with churches and associations in the development of alternative forms of residential care for Older Adults (Respite Care, Adult Day Care, and Home Health Care).

One of the greatest challenges North Carolina Baptists face as they move into the 21st century is the question of how residential-living situations for Baptist Older Adults are to be provided.

With the support of North Carolina Baptists, the Retirement Homes sees this challenge as a wonderful opportunity for ministry.

Respectfully submitted,
A. J. Singley, Representative

BROTHERHOOD COUNCIL REPORT

Earl Woods
Mt. Zion Baptist Church

As a mission organization the Associational Brotherhood exists to assist the churches in initiating involvement of men and boys in mission work. We the Brotherhood officers are here to serve you when needed.

Throughout the year we offer opportunities of fellowship, inspiration and training. In the Fall and Spring we have a Prayer Breakfast. The Annual Brotherhood Workshop is held each Fall for workers and leaders in Royal Ambassadors and Baptist Men. Our R.A.'s are involved throughout the year with the R.A. Conclave, R.A. Car Competition, R.A. Camparama and the R.A. Basketball League.

We encourage each church to challenge the Baptist Men and R.A.s to participate in the training events, fellowship activities and mission action.

Respectfully submitted,
Earl Woods, Director
Brotherhood Council

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT

Harold Early
Mountain Grove Baptist Church

CAMPBELL—1887	CHOWAN—1848	GARDNER-WEBB—1905
MARS HILL—1856	MEREDITH—1891	WAKE FOREST—1834
	WINGATE—1895	

Baptists and their colleges have been doing Christian education together for a long, long time. Look at those dates listed with each college above. When they are totaled, the cumulative number of service years for our seven colleges is 807! North Carolina Baptists have grown up with their colleges, so much so that it is difficult to imagine our total mission program without them. During the 1988-89 school year there were 18,534 students and 2,249 faculty and staff engaged in the programs of Baptist colleges.

If you should ask our college leaders what is uppermost on their minds these days, you would get an answer such as this: "Christian education, Baptist students and Cooperative Program support." A sentence or two about each of these will complete this report.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION. There are large and important differences that belong to Baptist colleges. They are smaller, friendlier campuses where Christian community is present and encouraged and where education and the Christian faith are compatible.

BAPTIST STUDENTS. Young people from our churches are encouraged to apply to Baptist colleges. Pastors and parents can help students with their life plans when they guide them toward Baptist schools. Generous student aid and work study programs make it possible for any qualified student to attend a Baptist college.

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM. Your North Carolina Baptist colleges say "Thank you" for the generous dollar support through the Cooperative Program. Baptist dollars buy quality Christian education and make healthy institutions possible.

For information write or call:
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P. O. Box 1107
Cary, North Carolina 27512-1107
(919)467-5100 or 1-800-222-8478

Respectfully submitted,
Harold Early, Representative

CHRISTIAN LIFE COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Glenn Walker
Mount Zion Baptist Church

The Christian Life Council met several times during this past year and discussed many subjects relating to the area of Christian Life.

We tried to determine some of the needs that we could directly address in our county and association.

We especially encouraged churches to participate in Christian Citizenship Sunday in July and emphasized World Hunger Sunday in October. For the first time in our association we established a goal of \$5,200.00 for the World Hunger Offering.

There are several areas of need we are looking into. One thing we are still work-

ing on is a workshop on how to minister to victims of abortion and their families. We are wanting to help our churches to be better equipped to help the lives of people who have been broken by abortion.

We also have plans to look into helping the Ministering Organizations of our county, and see how we might as an association help them.

Please pray for our Council.

Respectfully submitted,
Glenn Walker, Director
Christian Life Council

CHURCH TRAINING COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Jack Sprinkle
Clark's Chapel Baptist Church

The Associational Year, 1988-89, has afforded some very important opportunities to the Associational Church Training Team as well as to the churches of Caldwell Association. Your ACTT took advantage of opportunities to receive training by attending Leadership Conferences at Caraway, November 18-19, 1988. On March 7, 1989, several members of the team attended an Encouragers Conference at First Baptist Church in Boone.

We planned and led the "M" Night program at College Avenue, November 28, 1988. On February 9, 1989, Rev. Stuart White was enlisted to lead a training conference for workers in Bible Drills. This was very beneficial to those in attendance at Clarks Chapel Baptist Church.

Associational Bible Drills were held April 29, 1989 at Whitnel First Baptist Church with Rev. Stuart White leading the Youth and Mrs. Mina Pritchard leading the Children.

During the month of June two Church Training specialists worked in our association. Maurice Cooper, Church Training Director with North Carolina Baptist State Convention and Glen Smith, Church Training Consultant with the Sunday School Board, visited five churches discussing the beginning and/or strengthening of work in each.

On September 7, 1989, the ACTT led an Encouragers Conference at Whitnel First Baptist Church in anticipation of a need in our churches following next Spring's simultaneous revivals.

In addition three consultations were held during the course of the year, one in a church and two with individual leaders.

The ACTT will be attending Leadership Conferences at Ridgecrest, November 3-4, 1989. We are in the process of planning an exciting "M" Night Program to be held this year at Whitnel First Baptist Church. Among the events that evening, November 20, 1989, will be a Literature Fair.

Respectfully submitted,
Jack Sprinkle, Director
Church Training Council

CLERK'S REPORT

Ann Hatton
Kings Creek Baptist Church

WINTER QUARTERLY MEETING

Theme: *"Preparing the Way for a Dream Come True"*



January 26, 1989

7:00 P.M.

First Baptist Church of Hudson

PROGRAM

Call to Worship: "Shine Down"	First Priority
Scripture and Prayer	Rev. Michael Isaacs
Call to Order and Welcome	
Recognition of visitors and first time messengers	Dr. Billy Rivers
Recognition of new pastors and staff	Rev. Dale Fisher
Hymn No. 55: "I Will Sing the Wondrous Story"	Congregation
"The CBA Quarterly News with Gene Carpenter"	
Director of Missions	Rev. Dale Fisher
Recommendations:	
Associational Meetings Committee	Terry Barnes, Chairman
Missions Development Council	Joann Propst, Director
Nominating Committee	Lynn Hawkins, Chairman
Treasurer's Report	Jack Spainhour
Miscellaneous Business	Messengers
Caldwell Cottage Slide Presentation	Nora McGee and Dale Fisher
Hymn No. 238: "To Worship, Work and Witness"	Congregation
Brazil Partnership Commissioning Service	
for April and May 1989 Mission Volunteers	Rev. Robert Livingston
Introduction of Main Feature	Rev. Steve Crouse

Special Music: “Everybody’s Talking ‘bout the Baby Boy” First Priority
“Celebrate the Child”

“THIS LITTLE CHILD”
(The Life and Ministry of Jesus Christ)
Rev. Bill Cox

Benediction Rev. Paul Wall
Adjournment of the Winter Quarterly Meeting

PROCEEDINGS

- 1. The first ever Quarterly Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association was dramatically called to worship by the First Priority Ensemble of Mount Zion Baptist Church. They sang “Shine Down”.
- 2. Rev. Michael Isaacs read scripture from John 5 verses 12-17 and led in prayer.
- 3. Dr. Billy Rivers, Moderator, called the meeting to order and extended a welcome to all messengers and visitors present.
- 4. Rev. Dale Fisher, Director of Missions, recognized all new pastors and staff members present. They were:
 - Rev. Paul Wall, Pastor, Central Church
 - Rev. Willard Jenkins, Interim Pastor, Dry Ponds Church
 - Rev. Jerry Smith, Interim Pastor, Livingston Memorial Church
 - Mrs. Jan Powell, Secretary, Miller Hill Church
 - Rev. Jim Outlaw, Pastor, Union Church
- 5. Don Almond led the congregation in singing the hymn “I will Sing the Wondrous Story”.
- 6. “The CBA Quarterly News” was presented by Gene Carpenter. This was a time for highlighting associational events scheduled for February, March and April.
- 7. Rev. Fisher explained the handouts available which promoted associational events and gave the messengers instructions on where to pick up their 1988 Annual Minutes. He also reported that to date 38 churches had reported their Lottie Moon Christmas offering and that the total given was \$204,823.00. A Quarterly Book of Reports was introduced and distributed at this meeting.
- 8. The following recommendations were presented to and approved by the messengers:
 - a. Associational Meetings Committee Recommendation:
Terry Barnes, Chairman

1990 ASSOCIATIONAL QUARTERLY MEETINGS
Winter Meeting: Thursday, January 25, 1990 — 7:00 P.M.
Miller Hill Baptist Church
Spring Meeting: Thursday, April 26, 1990 — 7:00 P.M.
First Baptist Church of Granite Falls
Summer Meeting: Thursday, July 26, 1990 — 7:00 P.M.
Yadkin Baptist Church
Fall (Annual) Meeting: (approved by the messengers during the
1988 Annual Meeting
Thursday, October 25, 1990 — 7:00 P.M. (Session One)
Clover Baptist Church

Friday, October 26, 1990 — 9:15 A.M. (Session Two)
1:00 P.M. (Session Three)

Lower Creek Baptist Church

- b. Missions Development Council Recommendation:
Mrs. Joann Propst, Director
The 1989 associational goal for the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering will be \$85,000.00.
- c. Nominating Committee Recommendation:
Lynn Hawkins, Chairman
Recommendation 1:

MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAM DIRECTORS

Caldwell Baptist Association

October 1, 1989-September 30, 1990

Brotherhood—Larry Helderman	Music Ministry—Brooks Walker
Christian Life—Glenn Walker	Pastoral Ministries—Dale Larew
Church Training—Jack Sprinkle	Prayer—Delores Leftwich
Evangelism—Clifton Black	Recreation—Joe Gibbons
Family Ministry—Michael Isaacs	Seminary Extension—James Coffey
Media Library—Bobbi Watson	Stewardship—Lynn Hawkins
Missions Development—Joann Propst	Sunday School—Doug Jordan
	W.M.U.—Mary Suddreth

Recommendation 2:

The following persons to fill vacancies that have occurred since the start of the 1988-89 associational year.

Church Administrative Services Director: Rev. Stuart White

(Term: January 26-September 30, 1989)

Membership Committee Chairman: Dr. Robert Evans, Jr.

(Term: January 26, 1989-September 30, 1990)

9. The Treasurers Report was presented by Jack Spainhour. There were no matters of miscellaneous business.
10. Rev. Fisher recognized Miss Nora McGee and commended her on her faithful work and service in helping to renovate the Caldwell Cottage at Ridgecrest. Messengers then viewed a slide presentation which showed the result of the work done at the cottage.
11. The Commissioning Service for the Spring 1989 mission volunteers was led by Rev. Robert Livingston. He read the names of all those planning to go and recognized those who were present. He read scripture from Acts 15 verses 9 and 10. Rev. David Giffin, Pastor, Hartland Baptist Church and Larry Teeters, member of Union Baptist Church shared with the messengers about their decision to be a part of the Brazil mission volunteers. Rev. Fisher then asked everyone to join hands as he led in prayer.

The Spring 1989 Mission Volunteers are:

APRIL		MAY
Faye Teague	Mary Dula	Jerry Johnson
Howard Hawkins	Stirl Dule	June Johnson
William Shupp	Susan Gragg	Larry Teeters
David Giffin	Steven Hollar	Terry West
Robert Livingston	Sandra Mullinax	Susan West
Jennifer Miller		

12. Rev. Steve Crouse introduced the featured speaker, Rev. Bill Cox. The First Priority Ensemble sang two beautiful selections and scripture was read by Rev. Cox from John chapter 12 verses 35-50.

13. The main program feature was a chalk drawing done by Rev. Cox. It was titled "This Little Child" and it dramatically illustrated the life and work of Jesus Christ. He challenged everyone present to take the light of Jesus and make a difference in this world.
14. Rev. Paul Wall led in prayer and the first ever Quarterly Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association was dismissed.

ATTENDANCE REPORT

196 Messengers Present

39 Visitors

235 Total Present

There were 27 pastors present. The following 44 churches were represented at the Winter Quarterly Meeting:

Baton — 6 (pastor)	Lower Creek — 9 (pastor)
Buffalo Cove — 5	Meadowbrook — 9
Calvary — 8 (pastor)	Miller Hill — 12 (pastor)
Cedar Rock — 3 (pastor)	Mountain Grove — 8 (pastor)
Center Grove — 2	Mountain View — 2 (pastor)
Central — 3 (pastor)	Mt. Zion — 24 (pastor)
Clarks Chapel — 4	Mulvale — 1 (pastor)
Clover — 6 (pastor)	Nelsons Chapel — 1 (pastor)
College Avenue — 3	New Life — 1
Crest View — 2 (pastor)	North Catawba — 4 (pastor)
Dry Ponds — 5	Oak Grove — 3 (pastor)
Dudley Shoals — 7 (pastor)	Piney Grove — 3 (pastor)
Fellowship — 5	Poovey's Chapel — 3
Friendship — 7	Poovey's Grove — 5 (pastor)
Granite Falls FBC — 1	Rhodhiss FBC — 5
Harrisburg — 3 (pastor)	Setzer's Creek — 10 (pastor)
Hartland — 6 (pastor)	Temple Hill — 2
Hudson FBC — 10 (pastor)	Union — 6 (pastor)
Kings Creek — 3	Union Grove — 6
Lakeview — 3 (pastor)	West Lenoir — 3
Lenoir FBC — 7	Whitnel FBC — 11 (pastor)
Livingston Memorial — 4 (pastor)	Yadkin — 4 (pastor)

SPRING QUARTERLY MEETING

Theme: *"Preparing the Way for a Spiritual Renewal"*



April 27, 1989

7:00 P.M.

Mount Zion Baptist Church

PROGRAM

Call to Worship	Associational Youth Choir Gilbert Blackburn, Director
Scripture and Prayer	Rev. Frank Denning
Welcome	Rev. Glenn Walker, Vice-Moderator
Call to Order	
Recognition of visitors and first time messengers ...	Dr. Billy Rivers, Moderator
Recognition of new pastors and staff	Rev. Dale Fisher
Hymn No. 263: "Revive Us Again"	Congregation
	Rev. Steve Crouse, Director
Historical Sketch of Mt. Zion Baptist Church	History Committee Mrs. Elizabeth Moore, Chairman
Calendar Emphasis	
Vacation Bible School Emphasis	Lou Ann Burgett, Director
Director of Missions Report	Rev. Dale Fisher
Recommendations:	
Christian Life Council	Rev. Glenn Walker, Director
Evangelism Council	Dr. Clifton Black, Director
Nominating Committee	Lynn Hawkins, Chairman
Personnel Committee	Rev. Joel Sellers, Chairman
Properties Committee	Lewis Miller, Chairman
Clerk's Report	Ann Hatton, Clerk
Treasurer's Report	Jack Spainhour, Treasurer
Trustees Committee Survey	Rev. John DeMauro, Chairman
Miscellaneous Business and Announcements	Messengers

Hymn No. 277: "We Have Heard the Joyful Sound"	Congregation
	Rev. Steve Crouse, Director
Brazil partnership Update	Rev. Robert Livingston
Prayer for a Spiritual Renewal	Prayer Council
	Mrs. Delores Leftwich, Director
Introduction of Main Feature	Dr. Clifton Black
Special Musuic	Associational Youth Choir
	Gilbert Blackburn, Director
"HERE'S HOPE: JESUS CARES FOR YOU"	
Rev. Don Foster	

Call to Commitment

Benediction

Rev., Allen Voss, Jr.

Adjournment of the Spring Quarterly Meeting Dr. Billy Rivers, Moderator

PROCEEDINGS

1. The Associational Youth Choir, led by Gilbert Blackburn, presented a beautiful musical selection as messengers and visitors of the Caldwell Baptist Association were called to worship.
2. Rev. Frank Denning read scripture from Matthew chapter 5 and led in prayer.
3. Rev. Glenn Walker, pastor of the host church, extended a welcome from Mt. Zion Church to all messengers and visitors present.
4. Dr. Billy Rivers, Moderator, called the meeting to order and recognized visitors and first time messengers.
5. Rev. Dale Fisher, Director of Missions, recognized all new pastors and staff members present. They were:
 - Dr. David Smith, Pastor, First Baptist Church of Lenoir
 - Scott Sparks, Minister of Education/Youth, First Baptist Church of Whitnel
 - Rev. Ralph Staton, Pastor, Buffalo Cove Baptist Church
6. Rev. Steve Crouse led the congregation in singing the hymn "Revive Us Again".
7. Mrs. Elizabeth Moore, Chairman of the Associational History Committee, spoke to those present on the importance of keeping a church history. She then read the History of Mt. Zion Church, which is celebrating 100 Years of Ministry this year.
8. Rev. Fisher brought attention to the updated Calendar of Activities for May, June and July, which was printed in the Quarterly Book of Reports.
9. Rev. Fisher brought his Director of Missions Report on "The Role of the Messenger." He presented a brochure prepared by the Communications Committee to help promote Associational Emphasis Week, May 22-28, 1989.
10. The following recommendations were made and passed:
 - a. Dr. Clifton Black, Director of the Evangelism Council, brought the following recommendation from the Evangelism Council: That the Caldwell Baptist Association participate in the 1990 Simultaneous Revivals on April 22-29, 1990.
 - b. Rev. Glenn Walker, Director of the Christian Life Council, brought the following recommendation from the Christian Life Council: That the Caldwell Baptist Association observe October 8, 1989 as World Hunger Sunday and that we set \$5,200.00 as our associational goal to be given to World Hunger. Rev. Walker gave as information the date of Sunday, July 2, 1989, to be observed as Christian Citizenship Sunday.

- c. Lynn Hawkins, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, brought the following recommendation from the Associational Nominating Committee: That the 1989-90 Associational Leadership listed in the Spring Quarterly Book of Reports be approved with the following additions:

- (1). Two additions to Prayer Partners:

Page 25 — Harrisburg

Mrs. Frances Scott (754-7107)

702-C Broadway Street

Lenoir, N. C. 28645

Page 26 — Piney Grove

Ann Triplett (758-7618)

117 Piney Grove Circle

Lenoir, N. C. 28645

- (2) Request that the following begin service immediately:

Page 19 — Brotherhood Council Director

Earl Woods (Term: 4/27/89-9/30/90)

Page 19 — Christian Life Council — Social Issues Director

Mrs. Delores Hawkins (Term: 4/27/89-9/30/90)

Page 22-28 — All Prayer Partners (Term: 4/27/89-9/30/90)

- (3) Term for all other positions: October 1, 1989-September 30, 1990

- d. Rev. Joel Sellers, Chairman of the Personnel Committee, brought the following recommendation from the Personnel Committee: That the association not secure a Summer Worker this summer. The committee felt that since the association was beginning operation under the new Organizational Chart that a summer worker was not feasible this summer but that a summer worker would probably be used in the future.

- e. Lewis Miller, Chairman of the Properties Committee, brought the following recommendation from the Properties Committee: That the Caldwell Baptist Association grant permission to the Crest View Baptist Church to use the Caldwell Baptist Center for adult Sunday School space if needed. This arrangement should last for as long as the church needs the space or until such time that the Properties Committee feels the arrangement should be terminated.

The Properties Committee was assured by the church that the building would be left in the same condition as found and that the church would be responsible for any damages incurred while using the building.

11. The Clerk's Report, given by Ann Hatton, and the Treasurer's Report, given by Jack Spainhour, were received as information with no corrections or additions.
12. Rev. John DeMauro, Chairman of the Associational Trustees Committee, presented a survey sheet prepared by the Trustees to the messengers. The survey concerned the possibility of a camp or multipurpose building for the association. Those present completed the forms and they were collected by Rev. DeMauro.
13. Floyd Annas, State Missions Promotion and Projects Director, brought the following information from the Missions Development Council. He read a list of items needed by the two group homes in Caldwell County and asked any church or group who could to help with the needs.
14. Rev. Steve Crouse led the congregation in singing the hymn "Jesus Saves".
15. Mrs. Faye Teague, April Mission Volunteer to Brazil, presented the association with a marble carving of the world to be hung at the Baptist Center. The carving is to commemorate our involvement with the Osasco Baptist Association in Brazil. Rev. Robert Livingston, Foreign Missions Promotion and Projects Director, gave

a brief report of the work done by the April mission volunteers and challenged other Caldwell Baptists to be mission volunteers.

16. Delores Leftwich, Director of the Associational Prayer Council, gave a brief description of the job of the Prayer Council. She introduced the other members of her council and then led in a time of prayer.
17. Dr. Clifton Black introduced the feature speaker, Rev. Don Foster.
18. The Associational Youth Choir, led by Gilbert Blackburn, presented the special music.
19. Rev. Don Foster, Pastor of the Mt. Vernon Baptist Church in Boone, brought the message on "Here's Hope: Jesus Cares For You." He challenged us to be enthused about revival and to commit ourselves to be a part of it.
20. Rev. Allen Voss led in prayer and the Spring Quarter Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association was dismissed.

ATTENDANCE REPORT

131 Messengers Present

42 Visitors

173 Total Present

There were 19 pastors present. The following 37 churches were represented at the Spring Quarterly Meeting:

Baton — 2 (pastor)	Meadowbrook — 4
Buffalo Cove — 5 (pastor)	Miller Hill — 6 (pastor)
Calvary — 1	Mountain Grove — 5 (pastor)
Central — 2 (pastor)	Mountain View — 3
Clarks Chapel — 3	Mt. Carmel — 1
Clover — 1	Mt. Zion — 40 (pastor)
College Avenue — 2	Nelsons Chapel — 1 (pastor)
Crest View — 4	North Catawba — 5 (pastor)
Dry Ponds — 3	Oak Grove — 2
Dudley Shaols — 7	Piney Grove — 3 (pastor)
Friendship — 5 (pastor)	Poovey's Chapel — 1 (pastor)
Granite Falls FBC — 2	Rhodhiss FBC — 4
Harrisburg — 1 (pastor)	Setzers Creek — 4 (pastor)
Hartland — 2	Temple Hill — 1
Hudson FBC — 8 (pastor)	Union — 2
Kings Creek — 2	Union Grove — 4
Lakeview — 2	Whitnel FBC — 11 (pastor)
Lenoir FBC — 4 (pastor)	Yadkin — 6 (pastor)
Lower Creek — 12 (pastor)	Visitors — 2

SUMMER QUARTERLY MEETING

Theme: *"Preparing the Way for a New Decade"*



July 27, 1989

7:00 P.M.

Dudley Shoals Baptist Church

PROGRAM

Call to Worship	Linda Miller
	Eric Hopkins
Scripture and Prayer	Rev. Dan Redding
Welcome	Rev. Don Ingle
Call to Order	
Recognition of visitors and first time messengers	Rev. Glenn Walker,
	Vice Moderator
Recognition of new pastors and staff	Rev. Dale Fisher
Collection of registration cards	Ushers
Hymn No. 58: "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"	Congregation
	Trina Ferrell, Director
"CBA News Break"	Deanna Chester
Director of Missions Report	Rev. Dale Fisher
Clerk's Report	Ann Hatton, Clerk
Treasurer's Report	Jack Spainhour, Treasurer
Hymn No. 50: "Blessed Be the Name"	Congregation
	Trina Ferrell, Director
"CBA New Break"	Deanna Chester
Director of Missions Report	Rev. Dale Fisher
Clerk's Report	Ann Hatton, Clerk
Treasurer's Report	Jack Spainhour, Treasurer

Hymn No. 50: "Blessed Be the Name" Congregation
Trina Ferrell, Director

Recommendations and Information:

Associational Council Rev. Dale Fisher, Director
"1989-90 Calendar of Activities"

Nominating Committee Lynn Hawkins, Chairman

Personnel Committee Rev. Joel Sellers, Chairman
"Church Development Director"

Strategy Committee Pete Underdown, Chairman

Finance Committee Rev. Don Ingle, Chairman
"1989-90 Ministry Budget"

Brazil Partnership Commissioning Service

for August and September 1989 Mission Teams Rev. Robert Livingston

Hymn No. 63: "I Stand Amazed in the Presence" Congregation
Trina Ferrell, Director

Introduction of Guest Program Leaders Rev. Dale Fisher

Special Music Linda Miller

"PREPARING THE WAY FOR A NEW DECADE"

Dr. George Shore

Adjournment of the Summer Quarterly Meeting Rev. Glenn Walker
Vice-Moderator

Benediction Wade Yount

PROCEEDINGS

1. Linda Miller, Soloist, and Eric Hopkins, Pianist, rendered a prelude of various musical selections as messengers and visitors gathered in the Dudley Shoals Baptist Church for the Summer Quarterly Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association.
2. Rev. Dan Redding read scripture from Psalms chapter 96 verses 1-4a and 11-13 and led in prayer.
3. Rev. Don Ingle, Pastor of the host church, extended a welcome from Dudley Shoals Church to all messengers and visitors present.
4. Rev. Glenn Walker, Vice-Moderator, called the meeting to order and recognized visitors and first time messengers.
5. Rev. Dale Fisher, Director of Missions, recognized all new pastors and staff members present. There are several new pastors and staff in the association; however, Rev. L. J. Culler, Interim Pastor of Flemings Chapel Baptist Church was the only one present.
6. Trina Ferrell led the congregation in singing "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" accompanied by Mabel Gabor, Organist.
7. Deanna Chester, Communications Committee member, brought the "CBA News." Jask Sprinkle, Doug Jordan, Delores Hawkins, Joann Propst, Marlene Alexander, Brooks Walker and Carole Church gave information on upcoming associational event.
8. Rev. Fisher brought the Director of Missions Report. With the help of Joann Propst and Doug Jordan, he emphasized the mission projects which are becoming available to Caldwell Baptists.
 - a. Joann Propst made two recommendations from the Missions Development Council.

1. That the Caldwell Baptist Association enter into a partnership with the Caldwell Community College and Technical Institute to promote Adult Basic Education. The association will provide class settings in participating churches and the college will furnish teachers to help adults improve their reading abilities.
2. That the Caldwell Baptist Association begin an ongoing Resort Ministry with the Green Mountain Park, providing Sunday morning worship services and other ministries as requested or needed. The starting date is Sunday, August 6, 1989.
- b. Doug Jordan brought the following recommendation from the Pastoral Ministries Council.
That Caldwell Baptist Association develop a Chaplaincy Ministry program for Meadowbrook Manor. The ministry will involve visiting residents and providing Sunday afternoon worship services. The starting date is Sunday, August 6, 1989.

All recommendations were voted on and passed.

Rev. Fisher closed his report with an update on New Life Baptist Church. They will hold a Land Dedication Service on Sunday, August 6, 1989 at 4:00 P.M. and begin a Tent V.B.S. on the following Monday.

9. The Clerk and Treasurer's Report were received as information with no corrections or additions.
10. The congregation sang "Blessed Be the Name of the Lord" led by Trina Ferrell.
11. Rev. Fisher, Director of the Associational Council, brought the following recommendation from the Associational Council:
That the 1989-90 Calendar of Activities be approved as printed. The motion was approved.
12. Lynn Hawkins, Chairman of the Associational Nominating Committee, brought the following recommendation:

That the following people be added to the list of 1989-90 Associational Leadership:

BROTHERHOOD COUNCIL

(additional leaders)

Brotherhood Mission Projects Director Robert Hannah (Crest View)
Baptist Men's Director Zeno Hames (Lower Creek)
Baptist Young Men's Director Edward Eller (Hartland)
High School Baptist Young Men's Director . . Gary Story (Dudley Shoals)
Lad Director Earl Lingle (Clover)

PRAYER COUNCIL

Prayer Partners

Cedar Rock Helen Correll, Thelma Stamey
Globe Ruth Gragg, Marilyn Gragg
Hartland Dorothy Cline, Betty Rose Miller
Sunrise Ronnie Harris, Eddie Bumgarner
Union Jim Outlaw, Patsy Outlaw
Yadkin Valley Maggie Pritchard, Bertha Greene

FELLOWSHIP GROUP

Ministers' Conference

President Stuart White

Vice-President Howard Hawkins
Treasurer Keith Shorter
Music Leader Terry Crouse
Pianist Edgar Lineberger

These additions were approved.

13. Rev. Joel Sellers, Chairman of the Associational Personnel Committee presented the following as information:
- a. Proposed Job Description for a Church Development Director
 - b. Proposed Financial Support for a Church Development Director
- He asked the messengers to study the information in preparation for a recommendation from the Personnel Committee which will be presented at the 1989 Annual Meeting of the Association at Oak Grove Baptist Church on Friday, October 27.
14. Rev. Don Ingle, Chairman of the Associational Finance Committee, brought the following recommendation from the Finance Committee:
- That the 1989-90 Ministry Budget for the Caldwell Baptist Association be approved as presented. The motion was seconded and passed.
- Rev. Ingle gave the following as information to the messengers: The Finance Committee will present as a recommendation at the 1989 Annual Meeting that the churches increase their associational giving of undesignated gifts from 3% to 4%.
15. Rev. Robert Livingston, Foreign Missions Promotion and Projects Director, led a Commissioning Service for the August and September 1989 Mission Teams.

AUGUST 3-15 TEAM	SEPTEMBER 14-26 TEAM
1. Tom Barefoot	1. Jack Adams
2. Tommy Carpenter	2. James Fox
3. Steve Crouse	3. Harold Joplin
4. Jack Sprinkle	4. Curtis Powell
5. Phil Turnmire	5. Keith Shorter

Steve Crouse, from the August Team, and Jack Adams, from the September Team shared reasons why they wanted to go to Barzil.

After Rev. Livingston gave the charge to the volunteers, Rev. Glenn Walker led the commissioning prayer.

16. The congregation, led by Trina Ferrell, sang "I Stand Amazed in the Presence."
17. Rev. Fisher introduced the featured soloist, Linda Miller and pianist, Eric Hopkins. He also introduced the guest speaker, Dr. George Shore, Director of Budget and Program Planning for the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and his wife Louise.
18. After the special music, Dr. Shore spoke, using as his theme "Preparing the Way for a New Decade." He shared the goals and objectives of the convention for the nineties and challenged us as an association to do our part.
19. Wade Yount led in prayer and the Sumemr Quarterly Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association was dismissed.

ATTENDANCE REPORT

123 Messengers Present
37 Visitors
160 Total Present

There were 20 pastors present. The following 39 churches were represented at the Summer Quarterly Meeting:

Calvary — 2	Lower Creek — 7 (pastor)
Center — 3	Meadowbrook — 3
Central — 4	Miller Hill — 4
Clarks Chapel — 11 (pastor)	Mountain Grove — 4
Clover — 3 (pastor)	Mountain View — 1
College Avenue — 1	Mt. Carmel — 1
Concord — 2	Mt. Zion — 17 (pastor)
Crest View — 2	Mulvale — 1 (pastor)
Dry Ponds — 4	North Catawba — 5 (pastor)
Dudley Shoals — 11 (pastor)	Oak Grove — 3
Fellowship — 1 (pastor)	Piney Grove — 3 (pastor)
Flemings Chapel — 1 (interim pastor)	Poovey's Chapel — 3 (pastor)
Friendship — 5 (pastor)	Rhodhiss FBC — 2
Granite Falls FBC — 1	Setzer's Creek — 6 (pastor)
Hartland — 5 (pastor)	Union — 4 (pastor)
Hudson FBC — 4	Union Grove — 3 (pastor)
Kings Creek — 4	Whitnel FBC — 9
Lakeview — 8 (pastor)	Yadkin — 4 (pastor)
Lenoir FBC — 3 (pastor)	Visitors — 2
Livingston Memorial — 3 (pastor)	

FALL QUARTERLY MEETING

105th Annual Meeting

Theme: *"Here's Hope: Reaching People with the Master's Message"*

FIRST SESSION



October 26, 1989

6:45 P.M.

Harrisburg Baptist Church

PROGRAM

First Session

"Reaching People Through Missions"

6:45 P.M.	Call to Worship	Joseph Blanton
7:00	Scripture and Prayer	Ronnie Rogers
7:05	Welcome	Ted Williams
7:10	Call to Order	
	Adoption of Program	
	Recognition of visitors and messengers	Glenn Walker
7:15	Recognition of new pastors and staff	Dale Fisher
7:20	Hymn No. 475 "Victory In Jesus"	Congregation
7:25	External Relations Committee	Henry Lathan
7:45	Women's Missionary Union	Mary Suddreth
7:50	Brotherhood	Earl Woods
7:55	Recognition of Mission Volunteers	Joann Propst
8:15	Hymn No. 285 "Share His Love"	Congregation
	Introduction of Guest Program Leaders	Dale Fisher
8:20	Special Music	Joseph Blanton
8:25	Missionary Message	Craige Steele
8:55	Missions: The Year in Pictures	Steve Crouse
9:00	Benediction	Dale Fisher
	Adjournment until Second Session	

PROCEEDINGS

FIRST SESSION

1. The 105th Annual Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association was called to worship with a musical selection by the guest music leader, Joseph Blanton.
2. Rev. Ronnie Rogers, Pastor of Grandview Park Baptist Church, read scripture from the books of John and Matthew and led in prayer.
3. Rev. Ted Williams, Pastor of the host church, extended a welcome to all messengers and visitors present.
4. Moderator, Rev. Glenn Walker, called the meeting to order and asked for the adoption of the printed program. Motion was made and approved to adopt the program as printed in the Book of Reports.
5. Director of Missions, Rev. Dale Fisher, recognized all new pastors and staff present. Those present were:

Rev. Ralph Staton, Pastor, Buffalo Cove Baptist Church

Rev. Paul Wall, Pastor, Central Baptist Church

Rev. David Payne & wife Lisa, Pastor, Flemings Chapel Baptist Church

Rev. Ronnie Rogers, Pastor, Grandview Park Baptist Church

Ron Burgett & wife Lou Ann, Minister of Music, Harrisburg Church

Rev. Bob Lowman, Jr. & wife Karla, Pastor, Kings Creek Church

Rev. Jerry Smith, Pastor, Livingston Memorial Baptist Church

Rev. Jimmy Lambert, Interim Pastor, Meadowbrook Baptist Church

Rand McCall, Minister of Music, Mountain Grove Baptist Church

Rev. Jim Outlaw & wife Patsy, Pastor, Union Baptist Church

Scott Sparks, Minister of Education/Youth, FBC Whitnel

6. Joseph Blanton led the congregation in singing the hymn "Victory In Jesus".
7. The External Relations Committee is made up of representatives of the different agencies or boards of the Southern Baptist Convention. Chairman, Henry Lathan, introduced the representatives who were present and asked them to share news from the agency or board which they represent.
8. Associational W.M.U. Council Director, Mary Suddreth, explained the W.M.U. logo and the purpose of the Associational W.M.U. organization. She urged the churches to use the Associational W.M.U. Council to help begin or strengthen W.M.U. in each church.
9. Earl Woods, Associational Brotherhood Council Director, explained the purpose of the Associational Brotherhood Program. He gave special emphasis to mission involvement for men stating many of the mission projects promoted by the association.
10. The dreams and accomplishments of the Missions Development Council were shared by Council Director, Joann Propst. She introduced the Project Directors, who recognized the volunteers from Caldwell Association that had participated in different phases of mission work this past year. A list of all mission volunteers can be found in the Missions Development Council Report.
11. The congregation sang "Wherever He Leads I'll Go" led by Joseph Blanton.
12. Dale Fisher introduced the guest program leaders. Joseph Blanton, guest soloist and music leader and Rev. Craig Steele, missionary to Brazil.
13. The special music selection sang by Mr. Blanton was "People Need the Lord".
14. Rev. Steele read scripture from II Corinthians 8:11 and shared the Brazilian side of the Caldwell/Osasco Partnership. He told of the things that have already happened and his dreams of the things that can happen. He challenged others to be a part of the North Carolina/Brazil Partnership.
15. Steve Crouse, former Brazil mission volunteer, gave a slide presentation; "Missions: The Year in Pictures".
16. Rev. Fisher led in prayer and the first session was adjourned.

SECOND SESSION



October 27, 1989

9:00 A.M.

Oak Grove Baptist Church

PROGRAM

SECOND SESSION

“Reaching People Through Cooperation”

9:00 A.M.	Call to Worship	Joseph Blanton
9:15	Scripture and Prayer	David Smith
9:20	Welcome	Wayne White
9:25	Recognition of visitors, messengers, new pastors and staff	Glenn Walker
	Hymn No. 293 “Send Me, O Lord, Send Me”	Congregation
9:30	Recognition of Associational Leadership	Dale Fisher
9:40	Clerk’s Report	Ann Hatton
9:45	Treasurer’s Report	Jack Spainhour
9:50	Hymn No. 146 “Forward Through the Ages”	Congregation
9:55	Bible Drills and Speakers’ Tournament	Jack Sprinkle
	Bible Drill Presentation	Harris Chapel Youth
10:10	Position of Church Development Director Presentation Joel Sellers, Chairman, Personnel Committee Don Ingle, Chairman, Finance Committee	
10:30	Associational Council — Part One	Dale Fisher
10:45	Communications Committee	Sherry Davidson
10:50	Nominating Committee	Paul White
10:55	Miscellaneous Business and Announcements	Messengers
11:05	Hymn No. 213 “Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us” ...	Congregation
11:10	Congregational Prayer	Delores Leftwich
11:20	Special Music	Joseph Blanton
11:30	“The State of the Association”	Dale Fisher
12:00 Noon	Prayer of Blessing	Bob Lowman, Jr.
	Happy 104th Birthday, Caldwell Baptist Association	
	Adjournment for lunch	

PROCEEDINGS

SECOND SESSION

1. Joseph Blanton called the second session of the Caldwell Baptist Association Annual Meeting to worship with a beautiful inspirational message in song.
2. Dr. David Smith, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lenoir, read scripture from Acts chapter 5 and led in prayer.
3. Rev. Wayne White, Pastor of the host church, gave a welcome and lunch instructions to all those present.
4. Moderator, Glenn Walker, recognized messengers, visitors, new pastor and staff who had not been present at the first session. Minister of Music, Jason Guyer, from Temple Hill Baptist Church was the only new staff person present at the second session.
5. Mr. Blanton led the congregation as they sang “Send Me O Lord, Send Me”.
6. Rev. Fisher recognized all members of the 1989-90 Associational Leadership who were present. A complete list of the 1989-90 Associational Leadership can be found in the Nominating Committee’s Report.

7. Associational Clerk, Ann Hatton, gave the Clerk's Reports and expressed a special thank you to everyone who had a part in getting information to her.
8. An encouraging Financial Report was given by the Associational Treasurer, Jack Spainhour. He asked the churches to please continue their faithfulness in associational giving so that the challenge of the 1989-90 associational budget can be met.
9. The congregation led by Mr. Blanton sang, "Forward Through the Ages".
10. Associational Church Training Director, Rev. Jack Sprinkle, read scripture and gave words of encouragement about Children and Youth Bible Drills and Youth Speakers' Tournaments. Youth from Harris Chapel Baptist Church, led by Kathy Hardin and Kaye Pope, gave a demonstration of how a Bible Drill works.
11. Rev. Joel Sellers, Chairman of the Associational Personnel Committee brought a joint recommendation from the Personnel Committee and Finance Committee recommending the staff position of Church Development Director for the Association. A motion was made and seconded that the messengers approve the staff position of Church Development Director for the Association. A time for questions and discussion was opened. No questions or discussion were brought forward. Vote was taken and the motion passed. The entire written recommendation from the Personnel and Finance Committees can be found in the Personnel Committee Report.
12. Moderator Walker turned the meeting over to Vice-Moderator, Robert Livingston, who preceded with the business according to the program.
13. The role of the Associational Council was explained to the messengers by Director of Missions Fisher. He asked several Council Directors to share a brief description of the work and purpose of their council.
14. Sherry Davidson, Chairman of the Communications Committee, urged the churches to be involved in Associational Emphasis Week this year. Associational Emphasis Week will be observed on May 21-27, 1990.
15. A recommendation from the Nominating Committee adding the following names to the list of Associational Leadership was brought by committee member, Rev. Paul White.

Associational Meetings Committee

Mrs. Karla Lowman, Kings Creek Baptist Church

Ministers Conference Fellowship Group

Program Leader: Rev. John Barnhardt, North Catawba Baptist Church

Brotherhood Council

R.A. Director: Caroll Hedrick, Hartland Baptist Church

Evangelism Council

Personal Evangelism Director: Rev. Paul Wall, Central Baptist Church

Seminary Extension Council

Program Director: Mrs. Delores Hawkins, Lakeview Baptist Church

Associate Director: Mrs. Kathryn Cloer, Baton Baptist Church

Associate Director: Stephen McCorkle, FBC Lenoir

Sunday School Council

V.B.S. Music Director: Mrs. Prudence Larew, Piney Grove Baptist Church

Motion was made and passed that these names be added to the list of Associational Leadership. A complete list of Associational Leadership can be found in the Nominating Committee's Report.

16. The floor was opened for the following miscellaneous business:
 - a. Elizabeth J. Campbell brought a motion from the floor asking that the entire

proceedings of last year's W.M.U. Centennial Celebrations be included in this year's Annual Minutes. The motion was seconded and approved as requested.

- b. Rev. Fisher recommended that the association approve New Life Baptist Church for financial aid from the Baptist State Convention. Motion was made and approved.
- c. The following recommendations were brought by the Missions Development Council:
 1. That the Caldwell Baptist Association working through the Home Mission Board go to Oklahoma City in July 1990 for the purpose of sharing in a Home Missions volunteer project.
 2. That three teams of mission volunteers be sent to Brazil in 1990.
 - May 17-29 (Evangelism)
 - August 2-14 (Evangelism)
 - September 13-25 (Evangelism and/or construction)

Motions were made and passed for both recommendations.

17. Mr. Blanton led the congregation in singing the hymn "Savior Like a Shepherd Led Us".
18. The congregation was brought together for a season of prayer by Prayer Council Director, Delores Leftwich.
19. An uplifting special music selection was delivered by guest soloist, Joseph Blanton.
20. The Annual State of the Association message was brought by Director of Missions, Dale Fisher. He read scripture from I Peter chapter 4 verses 7-11 and presented us with what he feels are the real needs within the family of churches known as the Caldwell Baptist Association. He challenged us to meet those needs so we can bring honor and glory to God.
21. Rev. Bob Lowman, Pastor of the Kings Creek Baptist Church, led in a prayer of blessing.
22. Messengers and visitors sang Happy Birthday to the Caldwell Baptist Association and were dismissed for lunch.

PROGRAM

THIRD SESSION

"Reaching People Through Proclamation"

12:45 P.M.	Call to Worship	Joseph Blanton
1:00	Scripture and Prayer	Jim Outlaw
1:05	History Committee	Elizabeth Moore
1:10	Membership Committee	Bob Evans
1:20	Properties Committee	Nora McGee
1:25	Strategy Committee	Pete Underdown
1:40	Associational Meetings Committee	Stuart White
1:45	Miscellaneous Business and Announcements	Messengers
1:50	Associational Council — Part Two	Dale Fisher
2:05	General Board Representatives	Billy Rivers & Brad Wilson
2:10	Memorial Service	Sherrill German
2:15	Hymn No. 301 "We Have A Gospel To Proclaim" ...	Congregation
2:20	Introduction of Speaker	Dale Fisher
2:25	Special Music	Joseph Blanton

2:30	Annual Sermon	Jim Hamby
3:00	Benediction	Glenn Walker
	Adjournment of 105th Annual Meeting	

PROCEEDINGS

THIRD SESSION

1. Joseph Blanton, guest soloist and music leader, called the messengers and visitors to worship for the third and final session of the Annual Meeting with a beautiful musical selection of hymns.
2. Rev. Jim Outlaw, Pastor of the Union Baptist Church, read scripture from I Corinthians chapter 1 verses 17-24 and led in prayer.
3. A special thank you to the two churches who hosted the 105th Annual Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association was expressed by History Committee Chairperson, Mrs. Elizabeth Moore. Mrs. Moore also encouraged those present to make every effort to have a written history of their church prepared.
4. Dr. Bob Evans, Chairman of the Membership Committee brought two recommendations from the Membership Committee concerning Free Spirit Baptist Church and Dry Ponds Baptist Church. Motion was made and passed concerning both recommendations. A complete written account of the recommendations can be found in the Membership Committee's Report.
5. A recommendation to accept the new policies proposed by the Properties Committee for the Ridgecrest Cottage was brought by committee member, Nora McGee. Motion was made and passed to accept the new policies as recommended. A copy of the new policies can be found in the Properties Committee's Report.
6. Pete Underdown, Chairman of the Strategy Committee brought three recommendations from that committee recommending changes in the Constitution of the Caldwell Baptist Association. Motion was made and passed to accept the changes as recommended. In the Strategy Committee Report there is a written explanation as to exactly how the Constitution was changed.

He also presented proposed Amendments to the Constitution which will be voted on at the Winter Quarterly Meeting in January. He urged the messengers to carefully study the proposed changes and to be ready to vote in January. A written explanation of the proposed changes can be found in the Strategy Committee Report.

7. Associational Meetings Chairman, Rev. Stuart White commended his committee for the fine work they had done in preparing the past year's quarterly meetings. He asked for input and suggestions from everyone present for ways of improving the meetings.
8. The floor was opened for the following miscellaneous business:
 - a. Rev. Jim Hamby shared information about the Crisis Pregnancy Clinic which will be opening in the Lenoir area.
 - b. Harry Sherwood from Wingate College shared an explanation of the proposed name change for Wingate College which will be voted on at the Baptist State Convention in November.
 - c. Steve Crouse, Youth Ministry Director urged all Youth Ministers to join in the fellowship of the newly formed Youth Leaders Fellowship Group.
9. Rev. Fisher, Director of the Associational Council and several council members gave a demonstration of how an Associational Council Meeting is conducted. Dur-

ing the demonstration different council directors shared how their council plans to be involved in the 1990 Simultaneous Revival effort "Here's Hope: Jesus Cares For You".

10. Dr. Billy Rivers, Representative to the North Carolina General Board brought a brief summary of actions taken by the Board this past year and plans for upcoming actions.
11. Sherrill German read scripture from II Corinthians 5:1 and John 14:1-3 as he led in a time of silent meditation and prayer for the deceased members of Caldwell Baptist Churches.
12. The congregation led by Joseph Blanton sang "We Have A Gospel To Proclaim".
13. Rev. James Hamby, the guest speaker was introduced by Rev. Fisher.
14. "Jesus Paid it All" was the final musical selection sang by guest soloist, Joseph Blanton.
15. The Annual Sermon was delivered by Rev. James Hamby. Rev. Hamby read scripture from Acts 1. He challenged the people to be turned inside out for Christ and to make 1990 the year for Christ.
16. Rev. Glenn Walker led in prayer and the 105th Annual Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association was dismissed.

ATTENDANCE REPORT

238 Messengers Present

62 Visitors

300 Total Present

There were 38 pastors present. The following 50 churches were represented at the Fall Quarterly Meeting.

Baton — 4	Lenoir FBC — 10 (pastor)
Buffalo Cove — 5 (pastor)	Livingston Memorial — 3 (pastor)
Calvary — 3 (pastor)	Lower Creek — 9 (pastor)
Center Grove — 6	Meadowbrook — 9 (interim pastor)
Central — 7 (pastor)	Miller Hill — 3
Clarks Chapel — 8 (pastor)	Mountain Grove — 7 (pastor)
Clover — 6 (pastor)	Mountain View — 1 (pastor)
College Avenue — 4 (pastor)	Mt. Carmel — 1
Concord — 1 (pastor)	Mt. Zion — 12 (pastor)
Crest View — 4 (pastor)	Mulvale — 2 (pastor)
Dry Ponds — 3 (interim pastor)	Mulberry — 3
Dudley Shoals — 10 (pastor)	New Life — 1
Fellowship — 5 (pastor)	North Catawba — 10 (pastor)
Flemings Chapel — 8 (pastor)	Oak Grove — 19 (pastor)
Friendship — 2	Piney Grove — 3 (pastor)
Grandin — 1	Pooveys Chapel — 5 (pastor)
Grandview Park — 7 (pastor)	Pooveys Grove — 5 (pastor)
Granite Falls FBC — 4 (pastor)	Rhodhiss FBC — 6 (pastor)
Harrisburg — 16 (pastor)	Setzers Creek — 7 (pastor)
Hartland — 6 (pastor)	Sunrise — 1
Hudson FBC — 11 (pastor)	Temple Hill — 5
Kings Creek — 9 (pastor)	Union — 9 (pastor)
Lakeview — 5 (pastor)	Union Grove — 7 (pastor)

West Lenoir — 2
Whitnel FBC — 10 (pastor)
Yadkin — 8 (pastor)
Yadkin Valley — 2
Visitors outside assoc. — 5

Respectfully submitted,
Ann Hatton, Clerk
Caldwell Baptist Association

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Mrs. Sherry Davidson
Meadowbrook Baptist Church

The Communications Committee is responsible for communicating the programs, ministries, resolutions and services of the association to the churches and to the general public. In addition, the committee is responsible for developing and implementing an annual Associational Emphasis Week promotion plan.

The 1989 Associational Emphasis Week was May 22-28. A promotional brochure was prepared and made available to the churches listing the various programs of the association and ways in which the programs could assist the churches.

The 1990 Associational Emphasis Week will be May 21-27. Churches are encouraged to emphasize the work of the association at that time and throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,
Sherry Davidson, Chairperson
Communications Committee

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

Rev. R. Dale Fisher
Mount Zion Baptist Church

A NEW BEGINNING

I am an early morning person! It is the best part of my day. I find pleasure in watching the sun break the dawning of a new day. The quietness of the early hours give way to the sounds of people hurrying to work, school and to a host of other places. There is a sense of vitality, excitement and anticipation as people begin anew after a night of rest.

On October 1, 1988 the Caldwell Baptist Association had a new beginning. The culmination of more than two years of praying, meeting, planning and preparing provided a new organizational structure with more services offered and more people involved, a new Constitution and Bylaws to better govern what we do as Caldwell Baptists, a new name to better identify who we are, a new associational year to better align us with our denomination, and a renewed enthusiasm and commitment among our people.

These changes are now a year old. They have been given twelve months to prove their worthiness. The comments being made to me by Caldwell Baptists are encouraging and refreshing concerning the effectiveness of the changes that have been made. Thank

you for your willingness to make necessary changes to move forward in the work of God's Kingdom.

A NEW GOVERNING BODY

One of the most successful and enthusiastic changes has been the Quarterly Meetings. Until October 1, 1988, the association had a dual form of government with messengers meeting for an annual meeting and others serving as an Executive Committee. The old system, even though it worked at one time, had become obsolete and ineffective in our association.

The Quarterly Meetings have been well planned this year by the Associational Meetings Committee demonstrating some very creative thinking on their part. The meetings have allowed us to conduct our business in a much more efficient manner. One rewarding result has been a greater involvement of churches and people in our associational meetings.

A NEW COMMITMENT TO MISSIONS

Caldwell Baptists are a mission-minded people. Yes, we talk about missions, but more importantly, we are busy doing missions! We have organized ourselves into a global missions force.

Our Woman's Missionary Union is one of the strongest in the state. The Associational Brotherhood Program has been expanded and improved this year to involve more men and boys in missions. The newly organized Missions Development Council is building an enthusiasm for mission involvement like we have never seen. A deliberate effort is being made to involve Caldwell Baptists in mission opportunities in the county, state, nation and the world. Mission trips to Caswell, West Virginia and to Brazil are glowing examples of this "can do" missions spirit. The start of ongoing mission opportunities this year such as the Green Mountain Park Resort Ministry and the Adult Basic Education Program demonstrate our deep commitment to missions.

In addition, this has been a year of increased mission giving. Our special mission offerings, such as Lottie Moon and Annie Armstrong, and gifts to the Cooperative Program are at all time highs. Caldwell Baptists have not allowed a decade of denominational controversy, yielding lower mission giving in many places, to dim their vision of the needs that Southern Baptists can meet throughout the world.

A NEW DAY OF CHALLENGE

One of the greatest mission challenges we have is at home. Caldwell Baptists during the 1989-90 Associational Year need to focus much of our attention on Sunday School, Discipleship Training and Evangelism. Only a third of our membership is actively involved in ongoing Bible study through Sunday School. Far less are interested in discipleship training and evangelism. What will be said of us if we win our world but lose our county. So, let's say it loudly in Caldwell County, "Here's Hope: Jesus Cares for You."

The Personnel and Finance Committees have challenged the association to create a full-time Church Development Director position. The goal is to develop and strengthen the programs of our churches in order to reach more people for Christ. The messengers will decide the fate of this recommendation at the 1989 Annual Meeting. If the recommendation is approved, then there will have to be a greater commitment to associational missions giving. We can do it if we make the commitment with our minds and our hearts.

Good days are here but better days are yet to come. Caldwell Baptists have a good foundation on which to build. We are doing just that — building for tomorrow, growing in wisdom, knowledge and numbers, reaching out to people in need, and improving ourselves in order to reach the potential that God had for us.

I am proud to be a Caldwell Baptist! Thank you for letting me serve as your Director of Missions.

Respectfully submitted,
Dale Fisher, Director of Missions
Caldwell Baptist Association

EXTERNAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Henry Lathan
Central Baptist Church

The External Relations Committee is responsible for establishing and maintaining proper relationships with groups outside the association. Its duties are to serve through individual representatives as a channel of communication between the association and the various agencies, boards, foundations, and other groups affiliated with the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention; and to communicate and work, as needed, with non-Baptist groups.

The committee met only once this year to discuss the work of the committee and its involvement in the Annual Meeting. Suggestions were presented and discussed on creating a greater visibility of the representatives among the churches.

Respectfully submitted,
Henry Lathan, Chairman
External Relations Committee

EVANGELISM COUNCIL REPORT

Dr. Clifton Black
Mountain Grove Baptist Church

Leon Kilbreth once said, "If you want to pastor a big church, then grow it where you are." That is good advice for each of us. We can build buildings, but we must grow a church. The first thing that must be done, if a church is to grow, is to establish the biblical priority for a church which has been established by our blessed Lord. The number one priority of any New Testament church is evangelism. This means that everything you do, every program that you have is working toward the end result of winning lost men, women, young people to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ.

The next thing you must understand is that evangelism works under the biblical laws of sowing and reaping. if we do not sow, we do not reap. Therefore, each of us must set the standard for evangelism in the local church.

To encourage our pastors, staff and laypersons toward evangelism, the 1990 Evangelism Conference is scheduled for March 22 at Mountain Grove Baptist Church. The speakers for this conference will be the Rev. Danny Gray, Pastor of the Brushy Creek Baptist Church, Easley, South Carolina and the Rev. Allen Blum, associate pastor of Hickory Grove Baptist Church, Charlotte, North Carolina. There will be two sessions of Bible study: 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. in the afternoon and 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. that evening. Both of these men have been in full-time evangelism, and are now pastoring very successful churches. This will be a great opportunity for every pastor in this area to bring their people for a time of spiritual awakening.

Respectfully submitted,
Clifton Black, Director
Evangelism Council

FAMILY MINISTRY COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Michael Isaacs
First Baptist Church of Hudson

The Family Ministry Council has had an exciting year in serving our Caldwell Baptist Association in developing family ministry programs. The Council consisted of the following: Mrs. Jo Suttles, Preschool Ministry Director; Mrs. Joan Crouse, Children's Ministry Director; Rev. Steve Crouse, Youth Ministry Director; Miss Sherry Austin, Single Adult Ministry Director; Rev. Don Rogers, Median & Senior Adult Ministry Director; Rev. Brooks Walker, Student Ministry Director.

Our first meeting was held on November 8, 1988. Dale Fisher spent time with us in defining each position on the council. We found by sharing with each other that there were several projects that this council would like to see implemented within our association.

Our first project was sponsoring the Associational Youth Night on Saturday, March 18, 1989 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. at the Yadkin Baptist Church. This event was previously sponsored by the Church Training Council, but after some discussion it was agreed that this event would fit into the responsibility of the Family Ministry Council. Steve Crouse did an outstanding job organizing this event. There were 150 in attendance. During the first hour of the conference, parents and youth workers were given the opportunity to attend a workshop led by Brian Farmer and Robert Shaw. The youth were led by Rev. Norman Band from Cary, N.C. Then during the final hour a joint worship service was held with several young people making rededications of their faith in Jesus Christ. We felt this format was very successful.

On Saturday, April 8, 1989 we held our 5th Annual Interdenominational Single Adult Conference, at the First Baptist Church, Hudson. Sherry Austin, Single Adult Director headed this project. Other participants in the conference were: Rev. Joe Parker, Pastor of Hudson United Methodist Church, Mrs. Beth Isaac, music leader and Kevin Smith from Concord Baptist Church. The conference also featured the video series from Clyde Besson, "Picking Up The Pieces." There were approximately 75 in attendance.

We have also begun a new Youth Minister's Fellowship Group. This group meets the second Thursday each month at 11:30 a.m. at the Western Steer in Hudson. It is a dutch-treat lunch for both full time and part time youth ministers. Our first meeting had 10 in attendance.

Another new ministry is being attempted on October 7, 1989 led by Rev. Don Rogers. It is a Covenant Marriage Leadership Training Conference. The purpose of this conference will be to offer leadership training for Pastors, staff ministers and other adults who work with married couples. This conference has much potential for meeting the needs of married couples. The basic objectives of Covenant Marriage is: Designed to enhance healthy, functioning marriages; based on the Biblical concept of covenant; provides a foundation for continued marriage enrichment in the local church.

It has been a good first year of ministry for this council. Please be in prayer for our Family Ministry Council as we seek to continue this ministry in the Caldwell Baptist Association.

Respectfully submitted,
Michael Isaacs, Director
Family Ministry Council

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. Donald W. Ingle
Dudley Shoals Baptist Church

The Finance Committee prepared and presented the proposed 1989-90 Ministry Budget to the messengers at the Summer Quarterly Meeting on July 27. The messengers approved the budget which became effective on October 1, 1989.

Several ministers and ministerial staff members were assisted this year through the "Ministers Support Fund." A total of \$1,575.00 was given to these faithful servants during times of financial need. The Finance Committee confidentially administers the fund which is designed to temporarily assist associational pastors, staff ministers, retired ministers, other ministers and their immediate families during times of financial crises.

The Finance Committee met with the Personnel Committee in July to discuss the proposed Church Development Director staff position for the association. The Finance and Personnel Committees will bring this position as a joint recommendation during the Annual Meeting. The position, complete with a job description and financial support package, was presented as information to the messengers at the Summer Quarterly Meeting.

The Chairman of the Finance Committee represents the Finance Committee as a member of the Associational Council. I have attended the council meetings throughout the year.

The Finance Committee will recommend at the Annual Meeting an amendment to the Bylaws, Article III: Finances, Section 5, that each associational church is requested to contribute at least 4% of all undesignated receipts to the association. This recommendation was shared as information for the messengers at the Summer Quarterly Meeting in July.

Respectfully submitted,
Don Ingle, Chairman
Finance Committee

MINISTRY BUDGET

Caldwell Baptist Association
October 1, 1989 — September 30, 1990

I. ANTICIPATED RECEIPTS:

A. Undesignated Receipts.....	\$168,245.00
B. Designated Receipts	
1. Annual Minutes.....	\$1,500.00
2. Baptist State Convention.....	3,500.00
3. Caldwell Cottage.....	3,500.00
4. Miscellaneous	3,000.00
5. Vacation Bible School.....	500.00
Total Designated Receipts.....	<u>11,500.00</u>
Total Anticipated Receipts.....	<u><u>\$179,745.00</u></u>

II. BUDGETED MINISTRIES:

A. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

1. Annual Minutes.....	2,500.00
2. Baptist Center Media Library.....	950.00
3. Committees (miscellaneous expense).....	200.00
4. Contingency (memorials, etc.).....	300.00
5. Office Expense (Postage, Printing, and Supplies).....	10,500.00
6. Properties	
a. Baptist Center	
(1) Maintenance & Building Improvement	4,500.00
(2) Office Equipment.....	2,500.00
(3) Utilities and Insurance.....	6,500.00
b. Caldwell Cottage	
(1) Maintenance & Building Improvement	1,750.00
(2) Utilities, Insurance, Taxes.....	1,750.00
7. Treasurer	<u>2,544.00</u>

Total Administrative Services.....33,994.00

B. FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

1. Church Secretaries.....	200.00
2. Ministers Conference.....	300.00
3. Ministers/Wives Qtly. Fellowship.....	200.00
4. Ministers Wives.....	200.00
5. Music Leaders.....	200.00
6. Retired Ministers.....	200.00
7. Youth Leaders.....	<u>200.00</u>

Total Fellowship Groups.....1,500.00

C. GOVERNING (Messengers)

1. Annual Meeting Meal.....	1,000.00
2. Miscellaneous; Speakers.....	<u>1,200.00</u>

Total Governing.....2,200.00

D. MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAMS

1. Associational Council.....	250.00
2. Brotherhood Council.....	1,200.00
3. Christian Life Council.....	500.00
4. Discipleship Training Council.....	1,800.00
5. Evangelism Council.....	700.00
6. Family Ministry Council.....	800.00
7. Media Library Council.....	100.00
8. Missions Development Council.....	2,230.00
9. Music Ministry Council.....	975.00
10. Pastoral Ministries Council.....	300.00
11. Prayer Council.....	400.00
12. Recreation Council.....	200.00
13. Seminary Extension Council.....	1,000.00

14. Stewardship Council.....	200.00
15. Sunday School Council.....	950.00
—V.B.S.....	250.00
16. W.M.U. Council.....	<u>2,300.00</u>

Total Mission Performance Councils.....14,155.00

E. PERSONNEL

1. Salaries:	
a. Director of Missions.....	25,864.00
b. Church Development Director.....	20,500.00
c. Administrative Assistant.....	18,444.00
d. Custodial Services.....	2,353.00
e. Office Help.....	742.00
f. Summer Worker.....	530.00
2. Benefits:	
a. Housing and Utilities	
(1) Director of Missions.....	10,070.00
(2) Church Development Director.....	6,500.00
b. Insurance (Life, Medical & Disability)	
(1) Director of Missions.....	4,000.00
(2) Church Development Director.....	3,600.00
(3) Administrative Assistant.....	3,200.00
c. Retirement	
(1) Director of Missions.....	5,390.00
(2) Church Development Director.....	4,050.00
(3) Administrative Assistant.....	2,767.00
3. Christmas Gifts	
a. Director of Missions.....	497.00
b. Church Development Director.....	394.00
c. Administrative Assistant.....	355.00
4. Ministry Expense	
a. Conventions/Conferences	
(1) Director of Missions.....	1,400.00
(2) Church Development Director.....	1,000.00
b. Hospitality	300.00
c. Travel	
(1) Director of Missions.....	4,800.00
(2) Church Development Director.....	1,800.00
(3) Administrative Assistant.....	300.00
5. Payroll Taxes	
a. Director of Missions.....	2,647.00
b. Church Development Director.....	1,989.00
c. Administrative Assistant.....	<u>1,404.00</u>

Total Personnel.....124,896.00

F. SPECIAL MISSIONS

Ministers Support.....3,000.00

Total Special Missions.....3,000.00

TOTAL MINISTRY BUDGET.....\$179,745.00

FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

Miss Stella Austin
Kings Creek Baptist Church

1988 Foreign Missions Highlights:

- About four new churches were begun every day.
- 197,863 people were baptized, a rate of almost 541 a day.
- 10,800 Southern Baptist volunteers reinforced missions work in 74 of the countries where we work.
- A record \$10.9 million of your gifts were spent for overseas relief and world hunger.
- 3,867 missionaries you supported worked in 113 countries.
- 26,952 overseas Baptist enrolled in formal ministerial training, up 21% over 1987.
- Work began with 22 new people groups in 15 countries. These are people who share a common language and social and economic backgrounds.

These statistics show a good year in foreign missions. They represent lives changed by the gospel and give a summary of what you and your church are doing overseas. Remember that your gifts through the Cooperative Program furnish 40.0% of funds available, while the Lottie Moon Christmas Offereing furnishes 43.5%. The balance is furnished by other sources.

With the emphasis on evangelism, overseas in 1988 an average of one person was baptized for every 10.6 members of Baptist churches we relate to. In the United States it took an average of nearly 43 Southern Baptists to produce one baptism. Regardless of the assignments of missionaries, personal witnessing has been foremost in their priorities.

The Foreign Misisions Board continues to assist victims of hunger and disasters overseas. With a record \$10.9 million being given for a record 245 separate hunger and relief projects in a record 50 different countries, we have shown the compassion of Christ for the whole person, physical and well as spiritual.

Let us continue to give to support missions. Let us also pray that the Lord of the harvest will call those whom He would have to go to mission fields and that they may respond by going, "that the whole wide world may know our Savior's love."

Respectfully submitted,
Stella Austin, Representative

HISTORICAL EVENTS

BUFFALO COVE — Painted exterior; completed installing the new carpet nad new pews; built new front and back porches and steps; built ramp for handicapped; new cement walk; enlarged and graveled parking area.

CLARK'S CHAPEL — Pastor involved in Brazil Misison Partnership; joint worship service with black congregation; Children's Day observed for the first time.

CLOVER — Purchased 1970 model bus.

CREST VIEW — Single Ministry started.

DRY PONDS — In 1989 the church voted to change its name from Dry Ponds Union Church to Dry Ponds Baptist Church.

DUDLEY SHOALS — Church sponsored one week of revival services and Bible School at Gilbert Creek, West Virginia. Summer Youth Corp Worker was Mitchell Wright. Keith Sims' Sunday School Class bricked West Logan Baptist Church in West Logan,

West Virginia. Keith Sims' Sunday School Class bricked First Baptist Church for the Deaf in Hickory, North Carolina. Keith Sims' Sunday School Class bricked Gilbert Creek Baptist Church in Gilbert Creek, West Virginia.

FELLOWSHIP — In March, 1989 five additional acres of land was purchased.

FLEMINGS CHAPEL — Church ordained Michael Patton.

FRIENDSHIP — Broke ground for new building on Easter Sunday, 1989.

GRANDIN — Celebrated 75th Anniversary.

KINGS CREEK — Church ordained Tony Johnson on 8/13/89. Bob Lowman, Jr., began his duties as new pastor on 8/20/89.

LENOIR FBC — Observed Centennial Ceebrations on 11/27/88; 4/2/89; and 5/7/89. Observed 100th Anniversary Celebration on 8/20/89. David Smith, new minsiter, began his duties on 1/1/89.

MILLER HILL — Church helped sponsor Jerry Setzer's mission trip to Brazil.

MT. ZION — Dedication of Administration and Education Building. Mike Ramsey served as part-time Associate Minister of Education for eight months. Tommy Carpenter served as Summer Youth Worker. Five members went to Brazil as part of the Brazil Misison Partnership.

PINEY GROVE — George Greene ordained as deacon on 9/11/88. W. Kevin Holder ordained as minister on 9/18/88.

SETZER'S CREEK — Renovation of auditorium; new office, library, study and Sunday School rooms added to educational area.

UNION GROVE — Paid off debt of Educational Building on April 28, 1989. Note burning of \$120,000.00 loan in May, 1989. Ordained Clarence Alan Bean to the Gospel Ministry. He is presently serving as pastor of the New Hope Baptist Mission sponsored by Zion Baptist Church, Morganton, N.C.

HISTORICAL TABLE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION 1885-1987 ANNUAL MEETINGS

<i>Year and Place</i>	<i>Moderator</i>	<i>Clerk</i>	<i>Preacher</i>
1885 Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W.A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886 Union	Isaac Oxford	W.A. Pool	John Crisp
1887 Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W.F. Marshall	W.A. Pool
1888 Sardis	H.D. Lequex	W.F. Marshall	H.D. Lequex
1889 Glove	Isaac Oxford	W.F. Marshall	W.A. Pool
1890 Lenoir, First	Isaac Oxford	A.E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891 Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J.V. McCall	J.W. Gwaitney
1892 Yadkin	II W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	H.M. Croom
1893 Granite Falls	I.W. Thomas	A.E. Nelson	J.W. Gwaitney
1894 Kings Creek	J.V. McCall	A.E. Nelson	J.M. Shaver
1895 Lower Creek	J.V. McCall	A.E. Nelson	H.M. Croom
1896 Conways Chapel ..	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas
1897 Piney Grove	E.D. Crisp	J.V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898 Rocky Springs	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	G.D. Heffner
1899 Blairs Fork	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	E.D. Crisp
1900 Union	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas
1901 Sardis	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	W.R. Beach
1902 Bethany	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	E.D. Crisp
1903 Lenoir, First	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.A. White
1904 Dudley Shoals	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.J.L. Sherwood
1905 Mountain Grove ..	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	
1906 Flemings Chapel ..	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	
1907 Mulberry	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.J.L. Sherwood

1908 Lower Creek	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	I.C. Miller
1909 Green Valley	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	I.W. Thomas
1910 Granite Falls	J.V. McCall	J.R. Swanson	J.G. Benfield
1911 Kings Creek	J.V. McCall	J.R. Swanson	
1912 Rocky Springs	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	W.N. Cook
1913 Lenoir, First	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.D. Moore
1914 Union	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	G.C. Ivey
1915 Sardis	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	G.W. Rollins
1916 Blairs Fork	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.G. Benfield
1917 Bethel	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	G.A. Rhyne
1918 Dudley Shoals	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.E. Hoyle
1919 Rhodhiss	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.M. Shaver
1920 Piney Grove	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	I.W. Thomas
1921 Center Grove	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.E. Hoyle
1922 Kings Creek	J.G. Benfield	J.R. Swanson	W.C. Tyree
1923 Rocky Springs	J.G. Benfield	J.R. Swanson	J.L. Teague
1924 Concord	J.G. Benfield	J.R. Swanson	W.C. Tyree
1925 Yadkin	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	J.W. Watts
1926 Lower Creek	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	J.L. Teague
1927 Harris Chapel	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	S.A. Stroup
1928 South Lenoir	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	G.W. Bennett
1929 Mount Zion	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	W.R. Bradshaw
1930 Kings Creek	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	R.D. Carroll
1931 Sardis	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	R.E. Hardaway
1932 Granite Falls	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	W.R. Barnes
1933 Grandview Park	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	J.H. Shaver
1934 Lenoir, First	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	T.E. Payne
1935 Whitnel	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	H.S. Benfield
1936 Grandin	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	G.C. Teague
1937 Rhodhiss	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	Waldo E. Early
1938 Rocky Springs	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939 Lower Creek	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940 Granite Falls	G.C. Teague	H.S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941 Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H.S. Benfield	O.R. Mangum
1942 Blairs Fork	Zeb Caudle	H.S. Benfield	R.F. Mayberry
1943 Mount Zion	Zeb Caudle	H.S. Benfield	S.M. Stroupe
1944 Kings Creek	Zeb Caudle	R.C. Powell	Philip D. Fletcher
1945 Piney Grove	Zeb Caudle	R.C. Powell	J.H. Crisp
1946 Dudley Shoals	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	
1947 Lenoir, First	C.M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	M.W. Stallings
1947 Center Grove	C.M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	
1948 Central	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	W.W. Jones
1948 Hartland	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	
1949 Harris Chapel	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	Fred C. Roberts
1949 Lower Creek	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	
1950 Concord	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	Will Bolick
1950 Longford	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	
1951 Calvary	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Hester
1951 Winklers Grove	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1952 Union	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	M.O. Owens, Jr.
1952 Union Grove	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Knolan Benfield
1953 Sardis	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	D.R. Hinton
1953 Mountain Grove	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1954 College Avenue	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	K.E. Seepe
1954 Granite Falls, First	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1955 Lenoir, First	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	T.L. Cashwell
1955 Mount Zion	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1956 Lower Creek	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Hopkins
1956 Central	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1957 Yadkin	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Bruce
1957 Harris Chapel	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1958 Hudson, First	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	George Westmoreland
1958 Crestview	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	

1959 Rhodhiss, First . . .	M.O. Owens, Jr.	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Hal. R. Hovis
1959 Kings Creek	M.O. Owens, Jr.	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1960 College Avenue	Paul J. Hopkins	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Murray F. Jackson
1960 Flemings Chapel	Paul J. Hopkins	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1961 Concord	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	Paul Lovingood
1961 Poovey's Grove	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	
1962 Winklers Grove	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	Billy Rivers
1962 Grandview Park	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	
1963 Lenoir, First	George Williamson	J.G. Hagaman	James Pharr
1963 Mount Zion	George Williamson	J.G. Hagaman	
1964 Hudson, First	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Jyles Hall
1964 North Catawba	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Mrs. George Cowsert
1965 Whitnel, First	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Mark Owens
1965 Union Grove	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	F. Turnmire/S. Austin
1966 Lower Creek	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	B.C. Tschudy
1966 Yadkin	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Wayne Pennell
1967 Calvary	Billy Rivers	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	Millared Crumpler
1967 Dudley Shoals	Billy Rivers	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	
1968 College Avenue	L. Deck Taylor	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	Rev. C.H. Kincaid
1968 Mountain Grove	L. Deck Taylor	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	Rev. Lanny Elmore
1969 Mount Zion	L. Deck Taylor	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	Rev. Fred D. Barnes
1969 Lenoir	L. Deck Taylor	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	
1969 Union	L. Deck Taylor	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	Miss Faye Turnmire
1970 Granite Falls, Fi	L. Deck Taylor	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Clifton Tuttle
1970 Hudson, First	L. Deck Taylor	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Carl Bates
1970 Kings Creek	L. Deck Taylor	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Mrs. Hilda Cowsert
1971 Central	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Frank Colbum
1971 Lower Creek	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	R. Knolan Benfield
1971 Whitnel, First	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Wayne Pennell
1972 Hudson, First	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Edgar Cole
1972 Mountain Grove	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Jack Stanton
1972 Clover	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Lanny Elmore
1973 Dudley Shoals	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. W. Luther Hawkins
1973 Harris Chapel	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Eugene Poston
1973 Oak Grove	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Tom Small
			Rev. Coy C. Privette
			Rev. James Lambert
1974 North Catawba	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Edwin D. Price
			Rev. John O. Adams
1974 Mount Zion	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Budd Smith
			Rev. Guy Longshore
1974 Hartland	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Burt Potter
			Rev. Jerry Potter
1975 Yadkin	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Howard Barnes
			Rev. Charles Lethcoe
1975 Hudson, First	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Eugene Poston
			Rev. Ian Walker
1975 Concord	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Roy Carroll
			Rev. George W. Cowsert
1976 Lenoir, First	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Ned Webb
			Rev. Don Ingle
1976 Poovey's Chapel	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Thomas Corts
			Dr. Richard Henderson
1976 Central	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Ernest L. Holloway
			Rev. Wayne Pennell
1977 Rhodhiss, First	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Don Ingle
			Rev. B.R. Whisnant
1977 Baton	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Craven Williams
			Dr. Carl E. Bates
1977 Harris Chapel	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rick Taylor
			Rev. John McGee
1978 College Avenue	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. James Locke
			Rev. Knolan Benfield

1978 Union Grove	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Norman Wiggins Dr. Forrest Feezor
1978 Mount Zion	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Mark Corts Rev. Max Furr
1979 Lower Creek	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Thad Dowdle Rev. Walter Ponder
1979 Temple Hill	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. T. Robert Mullinax Dr. Jonn Tresch
1979 Miller Hill	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Dwane Campbell Dr./Mrs. Lin Fincannon
1980 Mountain Grove . .	Donald W. Ingle	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Rev. H.H. McManus Dr. Robert Evans
1980 Center Grove	Donald W. Ingle	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Dwane Campbell Dr. A.C. Miller
1980 Crest View	Donald W. Ingle	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Rev. Cecil Seagel Mrs. Craigie Steele
1981 Granite Falls, First	Donald W. Ingle	Sue Smith	Rev. Roy Collins, Jr. Rev. Donald Ingle
1981 West Lenoir	Donald W. Ingle	Sue Smith	Dr. Delores Miles Rev. Fenton Moorhead
1981 Poovey's Grove . .	Donald W. Ingle	Sue Smith	Dr. Thad Dowdle Mrs. Jean Poe
1982 Kings Creek	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	Tommy Stevens Roger Nix
1982 Lovelady	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	J.W. Hutchens Stewart White
1982 Flemings Chapel . .	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	Thomas Corts
1983 College Avenue . .	Rev. Wayne Riddle	Mrs. Sue Smith	Rev. Donnie Solesbee
1983 Clarks Chapel . . .	Rev. Wayne Riddle	Mrs. Sue Smith	Rev. Dennis Herman
1983 Whitnel, First . . .	Rev. Wayne Riddle	Mrs. Sue Smith	Dr. Mark Corts
1984 Concord	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Dr. Robert Evans, Jr.
1984 Calvary	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	History of Caldwell Cty.
1984 Mt. Zion	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Dr. Roy Smith
1985 Lenoir First	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Rev. Dean Harrold
1985 Baton	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Rev. Ken Carter
1985 Rhodhiss First . .	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Rev. Marion Powell
1986 Concord	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	Rev. C.H. Kincaid
1986 Piney Grove	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	Rev. Ellis Fulbright
1986 Dudley Shoals . . .	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	Dr. Ray Roberts
1987 Meadowbrook . . .	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	Rev. Stuart White
1987 Poovey's Chapel . .	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	Togo Volunteers
1987 Friendship	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	Rev. Richard Everett
1988 Central	Billy G. Rivers	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	Rev. David Philbeck Dr. Michael Blackwell
1988 Fellowship	Billy G. Rivers	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	W.M.U. Cent. Report Brazil Mission Vol. Report
1988 Temple Hill	Billy G. Rivers	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	Dr. Thad Dowdle

HISTORICAL TABLE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION QUARTERLY MEETINGS

<i>Year and Place</i>	<i>Moderator</i>	<i>Clerk</i>	<i>Preacher</i>
1989 Hudson FBC	Billy G. Rivers	Ann Hatton	Bill Cox
Mt. Zion	Billy G. Rivers	Ann Hatton	Don Foster
Dudley Shoals	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	George Shore
Harrisburg	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Craigie Steele
Oak Grove	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	James Hamby

HISTORY COMMITTEE REPORT

Mrs. Elizabeth Moore
First Baptist Church Granite Falls

HARRISBURG BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Ted Williams, Pastor

Harrisburg Baptist Church was born on January 30, 1955, out of a God inspired dream of the leaders of First Baptist Church, Lenoir, They had a vision of the future and were willing to follow that vision.

The Reverend M. O. Owens, Jr., Pastor, along with teachers of First Baptist started a Sunday School in a small house owned by Albert Winkler. This service was held in the afternoon for three months. In October of that same year the Reverend M. O. Owens began conducting worship services at 9:30 a.m. with Sunday School to follow at Harrisburg Baptist Mission, so he could fulfill his responsibility at First Baptist Church at 11:00 a.m.

In the spring of 1956, the Reverend D. L. Bumgarner was called as pastor. Grady Kincaid and Charles Johnson, Jr., representatives of the First Baptist Church, taught the adult Sunday School class, and other classes were taught by people from Harrisburg Chapel.

On August 23, 1956, the trustees of First Baptist Church bought the L. R. May property for the future church and services were held in the house on that property.

On October 26, 1956, the Chapel was authorized by the First Church to accept members through its own congregation. The charter membership consisted of: Rev. & Mrs. D. L. Bumgarner, Ray Bumgarner, Grady Bumgarner, Mrs. Eugene (Doris Bumgarner) Carroll, Mr. & Mrs. S. R. Collins, Mrs. West Fox, Mr. & Mrs. Howard Mayberry, Mrs. Frances Price, Mrs. Broadus Price, Mr. & Mrs. J. D. Tolbert, Boyd Tolbert, Mr. & Mrs. Elwood Triplett, Mrs. Ben Watson, Garry Watson and Larry Watson.

In March 1960 the membership of First Baptist voted to appoint a Building Committee composed of George Boutwell, Chairman, Charles Johnson, Jr., Paul Broyhill, J. B. Angley, Howard Mayberry, Clarence Holden and H. B. Anderson, along with E. C. McCall, Chairman of the Deacons, and the Pastor of the First Baptist Church as ex-officio members.

The building was built for approximately \$40,000.00 with the upstairs not yet complete. On June 4, 1961, Dedication Services were held with the building dedicated to the Glory of God and in memory of Steven Johnson, son of Mr. & Mrs. Charles Johnson, Jr.

In the spring of 1972, our people saw the need to complete the upstairs and remodel the auditorium. A building committee was elected consisting of Eugene Carroll, Chairman, Mrs. Ray Church, Howard Mayberry, Mrs. Frances Price and James Livingston, who worked closely with the Mission and Education Committee of the First Baptist Church. The total cost of completing the upstairs, remodeling the auditorium (including installing pews to replace individual chairs), and to air condition and heat the entire building was approximately \$55,000.00. The First Baptist Church donated \$11,000.00 toward the incurred debt of the building and permitted Harrisburg Chapel to borrow \$40,000.00 to be paid back in seven years.

A Dedication Service was held on April 1, 1973 following the completion of the building. With the Lord's blessing, Harrisburg people paid off the debt with a note burning ceremony in September, 1975.

on May 28, 1978, Thomas Kevin Greene, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Greene, was ordained into the Godsel Ministry at Harrisburg with the Senior Minister of First Baptist Church, Rev. Fred D. Barnes, leading the Ordination Service.

In an impressive service in the afternoon of April 1, 1979, the Trustees of the First Baptist Church turned the Harrisburg property over to the Trustees of Harrisburg Chapel, who were: Eugene Carroll, Howard Mayberry and Harold Blankenship. A membership of 188 members was also turned over to the clerk, Mrs. Frances Price,, at that time Harrisburg Chapel became Harrisburg Baptist Church.

God has continued to bless the efforts of His people at Harrisburg. A steeple has been placed on the building and the parking lot has been paved, an organ and a van have been purchased as well s other improvements.

Deacons who have/or are now serving Harrisburg are: W. R. Stone, S. R. Collins, Howard Mayberry, J. B. Angley, Eugene Carroll, Garry Watson, Larry Watson, Clyde Jarvis, Stanley Greene, Wayne Hagaman, Ray Church, Harold Blankenship, Clarence Helderman, David Newcomb, David Ledbetter, Tommy Watson, Jerry Younce, Tom Proffitt, David Greene, Ron Burgett, Stanley Taylor and Clarence Coffey, life deacon.

Pastors who have served Harrisburg along with staff members from First Baptist Church are: Rev. D. L. Bumgarner, Rev. Donald Mimbs, Rev. Robert Frye, Rev. J. E. Ledbetter, Rev. Jimmy A Privette, Rev. Ralph Gouge, Rev. Stephen Perrou, Jr. and the present Pastor, Rev. Ted A. Williams, who has served since 1980.

Our present facilities have reached maximum capacity, we have selected a Building Study Committee and have started receiving funds in the hopes of building a new sanctuary.

The Lord has blessed the people of Harrisburg Baptist Church who know that, “. . . if we walk in the light, as He is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanseth us from all sin.” (I John 1:7). “For by one Spirit are we all baptized into one body whether we be Jews or Gentiles, whether we are bond or free: and have been all made to drink into one Spirit. For the body is not one member, but many.” (I Corinthians 12:13-14).

OAK GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Wayne White, Pastor

Oak Grove Baptist Chruch was formed in 1938 when the people of Union Grove Community met to organize a Missionary Baptist Church. The Rev. J. W. Fox was elected as the first pastor, and it was decided that he would preach once a month.

The first building was originally Union Grove Methodist Church. Construction on the present building began in 1951, with the second floor being completed in 1953, and the third floor in 1954.

The parsonage was originally constructed during the pastorate of the Rev. Ray Yarborough from 1947 to 1951. It was remodeled in 1960, and several improvements have been made since.

A much needed recreational building was constructed in 1958. This was remodeled and enlarged in 1966, and enlarged again with the addition of a kitchen and rest rooms in 1970.

Several improvements of the church have been made in the past years such as the paving of the parking lot, installation of a heating and air-conditioning system, a play area, a covered walk connecting the educational building to the fellowship building, and remodeling the sanctuary. The most recent improvements have been

the construction of a new utility building adjoining the recreational building (1986), and the installation of a new sound system (1987).

The following have served as pastors and supply pastors*: Jacob Wesley Fox, James Taft Richards, Luther Hollar, Geter R. Porch, Charles Ray Yarborough, Sr., Rev. Ruppe*, Thomas Beverly Flowe, Sgt. Ron Wirrell*, Dean Harrold, Billy Pipes*, Walter Church*, Harold Meeks, Gordon Pope, J. Ervin Ledbetter*, and Wayne White.

On Sunday, November 20, 1988, Oak Grove Baptist Church celebrated its 50th anniversary exactly 50 years after its first service on Sunday, November 20, 1938.

Respectfully submitted,
Elizabeth Moore, Chairperson
History Committee

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

Miss Ella Keller
First Baptist Church Granite Falls

For the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board, 1988 was a year of challenge, change, and victory with record increases in missionaries, volunteers, chaplains, and the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering.

Through your prayers, gifts, support in 1988, a record of 733 new missionaries were appointed and approved, bringing the total to 3,827 serving across the United States, Puerto Rico, American Samoa, and the American Virgin Islands and Canada. A total of 346,320 baptisms were reported.

The Language Missions Division currently works among 85 ethnic and 97 American Indian tribes in 88 languages and dialects.

The Home Mission Board has a goal of 5,000 missionaries by the year 2000. In 1988, the Home Mission Board placed 41,896 volunteers on the mission field with a goal of 75,000 by the year 2000.

More chaplains were endorsed by the Home Mission Board than in their 144 year history in 1988. Total of 568 endorsements pushed the total number serving to 2,014, an increase of 67 over the previous year. Chaplains reported leading more than 20,000 individuals to Christ. The Home Mission Board has a goal of 3,000 chaplains nationwide by the turn of the century.

The Annie Armstrong Easter Offering for 1988 totaled \$30.8 million — 82 percent of its goal of \$37.5 million. Home Mission Board President, Larry Lewis, says that 20 percent of Southern Baptist churches contribute nothing to the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering. He is encouraged to see the Home Mission Board's church starting, church growth, evangelism and ministry emphases catching on across the nation.

What can we do to support Home Missions? We can pray for missions, volunteer for missions, learn about missions, and support missions financially. Together, we can help fulfill the Great Commission with these four actions!

Respectfully submitted,
Ella Keller, Representative

MEDIA/LIBRARY COUNCIL REPORT

Mrs. Bobbi Watson
Miller Hill Baptist Church

Our church media librarians are individuals within our churches who believe that the media library is a vital part of God's church. We are people who are committed to provide specifically selected resources and services that support our churches in their mission. We promote and make known that such services and resources are at hand and educate others in the need and use of them.

Our fellowship and attendance at the quarterly meetings continued to be very good this year. We met at Center Grove for a Christmas Fellowship with 15 present. Our regular meetings were at the First Baptist Church of Hudson, Miller Hill Baptist Church, Dry Ponds Baptist Church and the Baptist Center. We had an average for the year of 14 present from 10 churches. Our last meeting at Dry Ponds Church had 18 present from 12 churches. Eleven people from seven churches attended the State Media Conference at Asheboro. I attended the Key Leadership at Ridgecrest for the Associational Media Director. We enjoyed our annual summer shopping trip to Ridgecrest and Asheville in August.

The media/library at the Associational office has enlarged the video collection by adding 27 new video cassettes, one set of teaching maps on a stand and a portable audio visual table. We strive to serve you better in this area each year as we expand our collection.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve as your media director. Our group hopes to reach even more churches and more church librarians in the coming year because we personally believe that church/media libraries are a vital part of the church and a valuable ministry tool to touch lives. This is our mission and that's what our group is all about!!

Respectfully submitted,
Bobbi Watson, Director
Media Library Council

MEMBERS DECEASED

BATON — Mr. Foke Hartley, Mr. U. G. Sams

BETHANY — Mr. Conley Cook

BLAIRS FORK — None

BUFFALO COVE — Mr. Lester Miller, Mrs. Mildred Smith Robbins

CAJAH'S MOUNTAIN — Mr. Lonnie Blackwell, Mr. Dean Eckard

CALVARY — Mr. Roger Bradshaw, Mr. Glen Davis, Mr. Jerry Clarke

CEDAR ROCK — Mrs. Beatrice Barlowe (Charter Member), Mr. Marvin Lowrance

CENTER GROVE — Mr. Luther Lail, Mr. Harold Bumgarner

CENTRAL — Mrs. Mae Beach, Mrs. Annie Sullivan, Mrs. Orpha Livingston, Mr. Coyt Barber

CLARKS CHAPEL — Mr. Frank Jarvis (Deacon)

CLEARVIEW — Mr. Verlis Grant, Mrs. Opal Bendfield, Mr. Bob Cannon, Mrs. Barbara Watson

CLOVER — Mr. Ken Benfield, Mr. Jasper L. Church, Mr. Ted Bumgarner

- COLLEGE AVENUE — Mrs. Grace Smith, Mr. Elwood Pinson, Mr. Melvin Couch, Mr. Casper Gentry, Mrs. Sadie Ernest, Miss Agnes Larson, Mr. Harry “Ric” Church, Mr. Albert Lynch, Mrs. Josephine Isaac, Mrs. Helen Setzer, Mr. Marshall Clippard, Mrs. Ellen Gentry, Mrs. Opal Pipes, Mrs. Mary Walker
- CONCORD — Mrs. Edith K. Johnson, Mrs. Sarah Tinsbloom, Mr. Ernest Hollar, Mr. J. Darrell Reece, Mrs. Effie Clay, Mrs. Jean Lefevers, Mr. Troy Yount
- CONWAYS CHAPEL — Mr. C. H. Buff
- CREST VIEW — Mr. Roy Andrews, Mrs. Ollie Walker, Mrs. Peggy Spears
- DRY PONDS — Mr. Take Shuford, Mr. Kenneth Moore, Mr. Charles Yost, Mrs. Etta Hilton, Mrs. Albert Harrison, Ms. Toye Faye Bumgarner
- DUDLEY SHOALS — Mr. Clyde Bowman, Mr. Ray Starnes, Ms. Irene LaFevre, Ms. Pearl Wilkie Wright, Ms. Ester Kirby
- EDGEMONT — None
- FELLOWSHIP — None
- FLEMINGS CHAPEL — Mr. Dewey King
- FRIENDSHIP — Mrs. Rachel Perry, Mrs. Ora Lee Austin, Mr. Clyde Conley
- GRANDIN — Mrs. Cora Elma Jones
- GRANDVIEW PARK — Mr. Noah Watson
- GRANITE FALLS FBC — Mrs. Dee Starnes, Mr. Raymond Miller, Mr. Joe Mackie, Mrs. Toye Jaynes, Mrs. Pearl Carter, Mr. Cecil Baker, Mr. Dwight Russell
- GREEN VALLEY — Rev. John Ward
- HARRISBURG — Mrs. Pearl Blankenship
- HARRIS CHAPEL — Mr. Robert Robbins, Mr. Doc Joplin, Mrs. Lou Herman, Mr. Ted Townsend, Mr. Chloe Drum, Mrs. Rose Annas, Mr. Clifton Bright
- HARTLAND — None
- HIBRITEN — None
- HUDSON FBC — Mr. Berlie L. Carter, Mrs. W. A. Gibbs, Mrs. Phillip Gragg, Mr. Hal McLean, Mrs. Carroll Moore, Mr. Boyd Prestwood, Mr. Earl Shell, Jr., Mr. Kent Walker, Mrs. Walter Young
- KINGS CREEK — Mrs. Shirley K. Watson, Mrs. Alice Howell, Mrs. Elma Keller, Mr. Howard Jolley, John N. Brookshire, Sr. (Deacon), Mrs. Mary Creger, Mrs. Carrie Kirby Barlow
- LAKEVIEW — Mrs. Lona Foster
- LENOIR FBC — Mrs. Lawrence Roberts, Mr. Frank Burgess, Mr. Felix Parlier, Mr. Dudley Rabb, Mrs. Homer Messer, Mr. Mast Dickson, Jr., Mr. A. L. Dogan (Deacon), Mrs. R. D. Buie, Mr. Rick Roberts, Mrs. Dan Wortman, Mrs. Frank Burgess, Dr. Samuel Templeman, Sr., Mr. Henry Pipes, Mr. Claude Haymaker, Sr.
- LIVINGSTON MEMORIAL — Mr. Dewey R. Hatton, Mrs. Ella Colvard, Mr. Ralph R. Coffey, Mr. Charles Livingston
- LOWER CREEK — Mrs. Bertha Carlton, Mrs. Edna Roberts, Mrs. Dora Rudisill, Mr. Ed McLean, Mrs. Eva Powell, Mrs. Lola Helderman, Mr. Nelson Barlow, Mr. Dennis Mabe, Mr. Thomas Carver, Mrs. Ruth Laxton, Mrs. Ethel Thompson, Mrs. Ruth Malicek
- MEADOWBROOK — Ms. Sally Petree, Ms. Edna Shores, Ms. Lucy Smith
- MILER HILL — Mrs. DeRay Philips, Mr. Cecil Chandler, Mrs. Mabel Nelson, Mrs. Agnes Miller, Zenna Watson
- MOUNTAIN GROVE — Mr. Frank Clark, Mr. Clifford Frye, Mr. Clyde Hollar, Mr. Donald McCaleb, Mrs. Vernon Miller, Mr. Carroll Powell
- MOUNTAIN VIEW — Mrs. Rosie Gragg

MT. CARMEL — Mrs. Shield Young Arney, Mrs. Mandy Lauder milk
 MT. ZION — Mrs. Dovie Annas, Mr. Ralph Austin, Mr. Max Bolick, Mrs. Viola Clark,
 Mrs. Roxie Eller, Mrs. Bertha Fox, Mr. Dwayne Hice, Mrs. Shirley Poovey
 MULBERRY — None
 MULVALE — Mrs. Ponsey Gentry
 NELSONS CHAPEL — Mrs. Pearl Robbins, Mrs. Luna Storie
 NORTH CATAWBA — Mrs. Leona Smith, Mrs. Edith Woodie, Ms. Donna Church,
 Mr. Woodrow Duckette, Mr. Claude Kincaid, Mr. Walter Smith
 OAK GROVE — Mr. Charles R. Poovey (Deacon)
 OPEN DOOR (M) — None
 PINEY GROVE — Mrs. Faye Winkler, Mrs. Carolyn Wike, Mr. Henry Holder (Deacon)
 POOVEYS CHAPEL — Mr. Walker Laney, Mrs. Julia Knight, Mr. Woodrow C. Woods
 RHODHISS FBC — Mrs. Bonnie Frazier, Mrs. Netta Cooper
 ROCKY SPRINGS — None
 RUFUS — None
 SETZERS CREEK — Mr. Frank Bingham, Mr. Mack Greer, Mrs. Alice Gentry
 (Charter member), Mrs. Anna Oakes
 SUNRISE — Mr. Joseph Jones, Mr. Jerry Urban, Ms. Ruby Bean
 TEMPLE HILL — Mr. Ray Bumgarner, Mrs. Lou Shull, Mr. Lester Sharpe
 UNION — Mr. Bingham Kirby (Deacon), Mrs. Rose Kirby, Mrs. Judy Auton, Mr. Floyd
 T. Miller
 UNION GROVE — Mr. Roby Bean (Deacon), Mrs. Ivey (Carrie) Hall, Mr. Edgar Beane,
 Mr. Lee Franklin (Deacon), Mr. Marvin Kanupp, Mrs. William (Alma) Woods
 WEST LENOIR — Mrs. Inez Gragg, Mrs. Sarah McGarr, Mr. Grady Phillips, Mr.
 Fred Suddreth, Mr. Earl Sides, Mr. Clarence Pittman
 WHITNEL FBC — Mrs. Janet Wilson, Mrs. Ollie Pate, Mr. Ralph Pennell, Mrs. Ethel
 Swanson
 YADKIN — Mr. Stewart Younce, Mr. Frank Greene, Mr. Ike Miller, Ms. Ollie Griffin
 YADKIN VALLEY — None
 ZACKS FORK — None

* “None” — No names listed on 1989 Uniform Church Letter.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT

Dr. Robert B. Evans, Jr.

First Baptist Church of Granite Falls

One of the duties of the Membership Committee is to work with churches seeking membership in the association. The committee has been dealing with the Dry Ponds and Free Spirit Baptist Churches and presents the following recommendations.

DRY PONDS BAPTIST CHURCH

For many years the association has had a unique relationship with the Dry Ponds Union Church. The church has generously contributed to the association and has faithfully participated in associational activities. All of this participation has been done as a non-member of the association.

On March 12, 1989, the Dry Ponds Union Church became the Dry Ponds Baptist Church by vote of the church in a regular business conference. The church took this action because of its desire to be clearly identified as a Southern Baptist Church. For years the church has been organized as a Southern Baptist Church, using Southern

Baptist literature and giving faithfully and generously to all denominational causes.

In April, 1989 a letter was sent from the church to the Membership Committee requesting full membership in the Caldwell Baptist Association. The Membership Committee has studied the newly revised documents of the church, and members of the committee have met with members of the church to discuss the request for membership.

The Dry Ponds Baptist Church has graciously and faithfully followed the established guidelines for membership application as outlined in the Constitution of the Caldwell Baptist Association. The Membership Committee has found the church to be a very favorable candidate for membership since it has proven itself to be a loyal and active participant in Southern Baptist life. Therefore, the *Membership Committee recommends that the Dry Ponds Baptist Church be accepted under the watchcare of the Caldwell Baptist Association, according to the established guidelines of the associational constitution.*

FREE SPIRIT BAPTIST CHURCH

The Free Spirit Baptist Church has been under the watchcare of the Caldwell Baptist Association for three years. During that time, several unsuccessful attempts have been made to establish a proper relationship between the church and the association.

The church has decided to withdraw its application for membership in the Caldwell Baptist Association. The Membership Committee agrees that this is a wise action. Therefore, the *Membership Committee recommends that the Free Spirit Baptist Church be removed from the watchcare of the association as requested, and that admission into the association be denied.*

Respectfully submitted,
Bob Evans, Chairman
Membership Committee

MINISTER'S CONFERENCE FELLOWSHIP GROUP

Rev. Herbert McCoy
Setzer's Creek Baptist Church

The Ministers Conference was held on the third Monday of each month during the 1988-89 Associational Year. The Baptist Center was the location for each meeting. Informative and helpful programs were prepared by the officers of the Ministers Conference, who met regularly through the year for planning meetings. The conference began at 10:00 a.m. preceded with a time of fellowship at 9:30 a.m. each month.

The Ministers Luncheon provided an informal time of fellowship for Caldwell Baptist Ministers on the first Wednesday of each month. The ministers met at the Western Sizzlin Steak House in Lenoir. The luncheon and the conference are for vocational and bivocational pastors, staff ministers, retired ministers and other ministers serving in the Caldwell Baptist Association.

The Ministers and Wives Quarterly Fellowship met on the third Friday in November 1988, May and August 1989. The February meeting was cancelled because of ice and snow. Mountain Grove Baptist Church, the Seafood House and the home of Dale and Barbara Fisher were the meeting places.

The Caldwell Baptist Association contains some of the finest ministers I have ever met. The association is fortunate to have such capable leaders.

Respectfully submitted,
Herbert McCoy, President
Ministers' Conference

MINISTERS WIVES' FELLOWSHIP GROUP

Mrs. Barbara Fisher
Mt. Zion Baptist Church

The Ministers Wives' Fellowship Group includes all the wives of active, deceased, or retired ministers in the association. The purpose of the group is to provide opportunities for the wives to meet together for informal times of fellowship. The wives have chosen not to have officers.

The wives began the year by meeting on the third Monday night of each month for dinner at a local restaurant. During the year the wives moved the meeting time to the third Saturday morning for a breakfast fellowship. They have met for breakfast in local restaurants and in the home of Barbara Fisher.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Fisher

MISSIONS DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL REPORT

Mrs. Joann Propst
First Baptist Church of Rhodhiss

The Missions Development Council of the Caldwell Baptist Association, consisting of a Council Director, Associational, State, Home and Foreign Missions Promotion and Projects Directors, Brotherhood, W.M.M. and Sunday School Representative; met six times during their first year 1988-89. It has been a very exciting year as ministry ideas were shared and each director began planning and working in their respective areas. This council has taken seriously the Great Commission of our Lord to "Go ye into all the world."

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS REPORT

Rev. Willard Jenkins
Associational Missions Development and Projects Director

Caldwell Baptist Association began an ongoing ministry with Green Mountain Park on August 6, 1989 for the purpose of leading in Sunday morning worship services and other religious activities that might develop. Marlene Alexander and Dale Fisher, our Director of Missions, have been coordinating this work with people from the following churches volunteering their time and efforts.

PREACHERS

Dale Fisher
Mike Isaacs
Dan Redding
A. J. Singley
Glenn Walker

MUSICIANS

Marlene Alexander
Ruth Anderson
Tommy Carpenter
Martha Crouse
Pam Estes
Andrea Fare
Jonathan Fisher
Matthew Fisher
Tony Heaubaum

Cindy Jewell
Nadine Jewell
Sheila Klutz and
members of the
Clover Baptist
Church Youth Choir
Barry Laws
Dennis Sherrill
Kevin Smith

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

Floyd Annas

State Missions Promotion and Projects Director

Information concerning special mission needs and projects has been sent to the churches in our association this year. Eleven volunteers helped in the renovation of our North Carolina Baptist Assembly at Caswell on January 20-February 3, 1989. The volunteers were:

Clay Bolinger—Baton Church
 Jeanette Bolinger—Baton Church
 Boyd Cloer—Baton Church
 Kathryn Cloer—Baton Church
 Jerry Holman—Baton Church
 Becky Holman—Baton Church

Curtis Powell—Dry Ponds Church
 Zeno Hames—Lower Creek Church
 John Phillips—Lower Creek Church
 Walter Callis—Mt. Zion Church
 Earl Woods—Mt. Zion Church

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

Marlene Alexander

Home Missions Promotion and Projects Director

Home Missions has been promoted throughout our association through the teaching of the Home Mission Studies and through information shared concerning volunteer missions. The Annie Armstrong Easter Offering goal was set at \$85,000.00. We want to thank Caldwell Baptists for their contribution of \$81,387.00. The Missions Development Council has been very excited as they planned and have seen the response of the first volunteer Home Mission Trip for the Caldwell Baptist Association. Sixteen volunteers went to Oak Hill, West Virginia for "Bridge Day" October 20-22, 1989 for the purpose of one on one witnessing and distributing 2,000 Bibles and 2,500 packets of material provided by the Home Mission Board. The volunteers were:

Marlene Alexander—Central Church
 Robert Alexander—Central Church
 Shawn Alexander—Central Church
 Debbie Holman—Pooveys Grove Church
 Dale Fisher—Mt. Zion Church
 Johathan Fisher—Mt. Zion Church
 Matthew Fisher—Mt. Zion Church
 Joann Propst—FBC Rhodhiss

Alma Helton—Dudley Shoals Church
 Mildred Roberts—FBC Whitnel
 Gerald Hawkins—Lakeview Church
 Delores Hawkins—Lakeview Church
 Hazel Arnette—FBC Whitnel
 Neal Efird—Union Grove Church
 Patti Caldwell—Clover Church
 Paula Wise—Clover Church

FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

Rev. Robert Livingston

Foreign Missions Promotion and Projects Director

Through Foreign Mission Studies, Weeks of Prayer, and Special Offerings, Foreign Missions has been promoted in Caldwell Baptist Association this year. The 1988 Lot-tie Moon Associational Goal was \$240,000.00. Contributions from Caldwell Baptists totaled 251,473.22.

A special class was taught by Dale and Barbara Fisher on October 5, 7:00 p.m., at the Baptist Center for the purpose of training teachers to teach the 1989 Adult Foreign Mission Study. This class was for all teachers that have agreed to teach in churches throughout the association when asked to do so and for any persons that would be teaching this study in their churches.

Our association has sent five teams of volunteers to Brazil this year, three for the

purpose of witnessing and leading evangelistic services and two for a combination trip of evangelism and construction. A total of 29 volunteers have been involved in these very exciting and rewarding mission trips.

The Missions Development Council recommends that three volunteer mission teams be sent to Brazil from the Caldwell Baptist Association in 1990.

Team No. 6 — May 17-29 (Evangelism)

7 — August 2-14 (Evangelism)

8 — September 13-25 (Evangelism and/or construction)

It is further recommended that the trip previously announced for April 1990 be cancelled.

BRAZIL MISSION VOLUNTEERS

TEAM NO. 1

(August 6-17, 1988)

1. Jerry Bentley
2. Rex Brown
3. Frank Denning
4. Dale Fisher, Team Leader
5. Glenn Walker

TEAM NO. 2

(April 6-18, 1989)

1. David Giffin
2. Howard Hawkins
3. Robert Livingston, Team Leader
4. Jennifer Miller
5. Bill Shupp
6. Faye Teague

TEAM NO. 3

(May 18-30, 1989)

1. Mary Nell Dula
2. Stirl Dule
3. Susan Gragg
4. Steven Hollar
5. Sandra Mullinax
6. Jerry Setzer
7. Larry Teeters, Team Leader
8. Susan West

TEAM NO. 4

(August 3-15, 1989)

1. Tom Barefoot
2. Tommy Carpenter
3. Steve Crouse, Team leader
4. Jack Sprinkle
5. Phil Turnmire

TEAM NO. 5

(September 14-26, 1989)

1. Jack Adams
2. James Fox
3. Harold Joplin
4. Curtis Powell
5. Keith Shorter, Team Leader

In cooperation with Caldwell W.M.U. and Tula Bumgarner, W.M.U. Representative on the Missions Development Council, our council was able to get, through the contributions of Caldwell Baptists, window screens, a washing machine, and a refrigerator for the two new Caldwell Group Homes.

1988-89 church and individual mission volunteers are as follows:

Church	No. of Volunteers	Place of Service	Type of Work
College Avenue	28	St. Petersburg, FL	3 Backyard Bible Clubs 5 Concerts
Concord	33	Kettering, MD	Taught Youth Conf. on witnessing — 3 Concerts

Dudley Shoals	54	Gilbert Creek, WV	VBS-Survey-Revival
Dudley Shoals	13	Gilbert Creek, WV	Distributed Bibles Witnessing
Dudley Shoals	25	Gilbert Creek, WV	Bricked Church
Dudley Shoals	130	Hickory, NC	Bricked Church for Deaf
Dudley Shoals	10	War Eagle, WV	Survey-Feed People
Dudley Shoals			
Good News S.S. Class	40	Logan, WV	Bricked Church
Mt. Zion	27	Myrtle Beach, SC	Day Camp at 2 Camp- grounds-4 Concerts-One on one witnessing at concerts
FBC Rhodhiss	25	Myrtle Beach, SC	Day Camp at 2 Camp- grounds-One on one witnessing on beach
FBC Whitnel	25	W. Logan, WV	Backyard Bible Club Survey-Construction
Church	Individual	Place of Service	Type of Work
College Avenue	Pam Brown	Mexico	M.K. Teacher-Mission Mtg.
		Dominican Republic	M.K. School Teacher-10 mo.
College Avenue	Mildred Roberts	Uruguay	M.K. Teacher-Mission Mtg.
		Germany	M.K. Teacher-Mission Mtg.
		Mexico	M.K. Teacher-Mission Mtg.
Dudley Shoals	Alma Helton	Uruguay	M.K. Teacher-Mission Mtg.
		Germany	M.K. Teacher-Mission Mtg.
		Mexico	M.K. Teacher-Mission Mtg.
		Bolivia	Painted and cooked for construction team
Dudley Shoals	Audrey Carlton	Bronx, NY	VBS Teacher with N.C. Acteens Activator Team
Dudley Shoals	Lisa Woods	Mundo Vista	N.C. G.A./Acteens Camp Counselor
Dudley Shoals	RebeccaHouston	Bolivia	Painted and cooked for construction team
Hudson FBC	Muriel Nanney	Mexico	M.K. Teacher-Mission Mtg.
Lower Creek	Richard Cole	Germany	M.K. Teacher-Mission Mtg.
		Mexico	M.K. Teacher-Mission Mtg.
Lower Creek	Brenda Bartles	Germany	M.K. Teacher-Mission Mtg.
Lower Creek	Ernest Bartles	Germany	M.K. Teacher-Mission Mtg.
Rhodhiss FBC	Joann Propst	Uruguay	M.K. Teacher-Mission Mtg.
		Mexico	M.K. Teacher-Mission Mtg.
Temple Hill	Rita Murphy	Mexico	M.K. Teacher-Mission Mtg.
Union Grove	Judy Price	Mexico	Backyard Bible Club Taught Bible Study
			One on one witnessing
Union Grove	Sandra Ford	Kenya, Africa	Set up computer system Worked in library Instructed how to use electric typewriter

Thanks to our Lord for the opportunities He has given to us. Thanks Missions Development Council members and Caldwell Baptists. You have worked faithfully together to carry the Gospel around the world. If the Missions Development Council can be of service to any church or individual, please call us.

Respectfully submitted,
Joann Propst, Director
Missions Development Council

MUSIC MINISTRY COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Brooks Walker
North Catawba Baptist Church

Music and worship and music in worship seem to have been the bywords for 1989. We as an association met on several varied occasions with one purpose in mind; to serve God cooperatively through the music program of the Caldwell Baptist Association. As the old saying goes, "Everywhere that Mary went the lamb was sure to go." Well, Mary was the meetings and sure enough it seemed that whenever there was a meeting that lamb called "music" was there.

Here's just a summary:

In the Winter of 1988 we saw and heard Prudence Larew (soloist) and the vocal ensemble from Lower Creek.

At "M" Night we featured the North Catawba Bell Choir and ensemble plus a stirring piano solo by Eric Hopkins from Mountain Grove Church.

As Spring sprang upon us the council planned for an Associational Youth Choir to perform at the Quarterly Meeting on April 27 at Mt. Zion Church.

The Summer found us engaged once again in the Children's Choir Clinic. It was truly amazing as we presented "Amazing Grace" featuring Carolyn Icard as "Grace" and Sherrill German as music director. We had seventeen churches represented with seventy-one children in attendance.

The final event of the year was our well known finale as we met at the College Avenue Church for Praise Sing 1989.

Respectfully submitted,
Brooks Walker, Director
Music Council

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

Lynn Hawkins
First Baptist Church of Hudson

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
ASSOCIATIONAL LEADERSHIP
October 1, 1989 - September 30, 1990

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES: COMMITTEES

Associational Meetings Committee

- Mrs. Karla Lowman (Kings Creek Baptist Church)
Route 1, Box 444, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-0133) 1990
- Dr. Paul Childers (Concord Baptist Church)
5 Circle Drive, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1914) 1990
- Rev. Steve Crouse (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)
Route 3, Box 258, Hudson, NC 28638 (396-1241) 1991

Rev. Stuart White, Chairman (FBC Whitnel)	
503 Connelly Springs Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-3240)	1991
Mrs. Anna Dean Smith (Mountain Grove Baptist Church)	
Route 1, Box 112, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-9557)	1992
Rev. Dan Redding (Center Grove Baptist Church)	
Route 3, Box 826, Hudson, NC 28638 (396-5284)	1992

Communications Committee

Mrs. Lynn Ingle (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church)	
Route 1, Box 212, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1201)	1990
Deanna Chester (Concord Baptist Church)	
Route 2, Box 303, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-6567)	1990
Sara Moore (Clover Baptist Church)	
P.O. Box 737, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-7634)	1991
Vera Sullivan (FBC Lenoir)	
1018 Randolph Circle, S.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-3237)	1991
Sherry Davidson, Chairman (Meadowbrook Baptist Church)	
143 Clarks Chapel Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-2070)	1992
Mrs. Lena Braswell (FBC Hudson)	
Route 1, Box 66-A, Hudson, NC 28628 (728-8685)	1992

External Relations Committee

Bill Kincaid (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)	
Route 1, Box 344-A-1, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-6626)	1990
Rev. Don Rogers (FBC Lenoir)	
801 Armstrong Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-8428)	1991
Henry Lathan, Chairman (Central Baptist Church)	
P. O. Box 326, Hudson, NC 28638 (unlisted)	1992
Mrs. Ruth Greene (Baton Baptist Church) American Bible Society Representative	
Route 2, Box 272, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-9312)	1991
Rev. Frank Colburn (Lower Creek Baptist Church) Annuity Board Representative	
802 Pennell Street, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-8005)	1991
Elizabeth J. Campbell (FBC Lenoir) Baptist Foundation Representative	
516 Main Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-9050)	1991
Harold Early (Mountain Grove Baptist Church) Christian Education Representative	
Route 2, Box 10, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-9297)	1991
Stella Austin (Kings Creek) Foreign Missions Representative	
1052-6 Cedar Hills Court, S.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-7604)	1991
Ella Keller (FBC Granite Falls) Home Missions Representative	
41 Crestview Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-4330)	1991
Mrs. Joann Propst (FBC Rhodhiss) State Missions Representative	
63 Duke Power Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-3450)	1991
Mrs. Donna Lail (Dudley Shoals Church) N.C. Baptist Children's Homes Rep.	
Route 2, Box 380, Lenoir, NC 28645 (757-0700)	1991
Rev. Kenneth Little (College Avenue Church) N.C. Baptist Hospital Rep.	
P.O. Box 592, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-6482)	1991
Rev. A.J. Singley (Mountain View Church) N.C. Baptist Retirement Homes Rep.	
268-D North Fairview Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-8595)	1991
Carole Church (Clover Church) Religious Literature/Biblical Recorder Rep.	
39 Forest Avenue, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-2417)	1991

Finance Committee

Rev. Don Ingle, Chairman (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church)	
Route 1, Box 212, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-7300)	1990
Kenneth Storie (Yadkin Baptist Church)	
Route 7, Box 376, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-6382)	1990
Floyd Annas (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)	
P.O. Drawer 620, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1970)	1991
Fred Kind (Bethany Baptist Church)	
Route 8, Box 212, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-2945)	1991
Mrs. Marline Barnes (Baton Baptist Church)	
Route 2, Box 448-B, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-9270)	1992
Rev. Frank Denning (Friendship Baptist Church)	
Route 2, Box 413-D, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-5121)	1992

History Committee

Marilyn Gragg (Globe Baptist Church)	
Route 8, Box 331, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-5913)	1990
Mrs. Nellie Mullinax (Union Grove Baptist Church)	
Route 2, Box 354-A-3, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-7274)	1990
John O. Hawkins (Piney Grove Baptist Church)	
Route 5, Box 430, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-5806)	1991
Steve McCorkle (FBC Lenoir)	
P.O. Box 751, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4335)	1991
Mrs. Elizabeth Moore, Chairman (FBC Granite Falls)	
881 Moore Acres Drive, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1570)	1992
Miss Sherry Austin (FBC Hudson)	
P. O. Box 351, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-9278)	1992

Membership Committee

Mrs. Winifred Thurkill (FBC Hudson)	
544 Circle Drive, C-22-6, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-6294)	1990
Dr. Robert Evans, Jr., Chairman (FBC Granite Falls)	
47 Crestview Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1922)	1990
Rev. Leland Green (Bethany Baptist Church)	
602 Swanson Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-3782)	1991
Ben Sullivan (FBC Lenoir)	
1018 Randolph Circle, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-3227)	1991
Charles Suddreth (Yadkin Baptist Church)	
Route 5, Box 760, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7869)	1992
Dr. Howard Hawkins (Lakeview Baptist Church)	
2618 Hogan Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-9652)	1992

Nominating Committee

Donna Curtis (Grandin Baptist Church) District III	
1902 Hickory Blvd., Lenoir, NC 28645 (unlisted)	1990
Caroll Hedrick (Hartland Baptist Church) District IV	
Route 6, Box 388, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-2656)	1990
(Vacant) District V	1991
Sheilia Fox (Mt. Zion Baptist Church) District VI	
Route 2, Box 466-K, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-4942)	1991

Rev. Paul White (Mulvale Baptist Church) District I	
Route 10, Box 409, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7714)	1992
Rev. Sherrill German (Yadkin Baptist Church) District II	
P. O. Box 254, Patterson, NC 28661 (754-6000)	1992

Personnel Committee

Conley Starnes (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church)	
709 Dudley Shoals Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-3491)	1990
Charles W. Johnson, Jr. (FBC Lenoir)	
305 Woodsway Street, N.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-9097)	1990
Clarence Prestwood (Miller Hill Baptist Church)	
1421 Overlook Drive, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-6140)	1991
Brooks Barber (Baton Baptist Church)	
Route 2, Box 410-B, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-2154)	1991
Rev. Joel Sellers, Chairman (Lower Creek Baptist Church)	
633 Lower Creek Drive, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-2315)	1992
Ronald Beane (Mountain Grove Baptist Church)	
P. O. Box 548, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-9609)	1992

Properties Committee

Dare Teague (Kings Creek Baptist Church)	
Route 1, Box 210, Boomer, NC 28606 (758-1397)	1990
Lewis Miller, Chairman (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)	
Route 2, 309 Magnolia Lane, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-2667)	1990
Nora McGee (Meadowbrook Baptist Church)	
306 Vaiden Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-6163)	1991
Rev. Herbert McCoy (Setzers Creek Baptist Church)	
Route 10, Box 752, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4856)	1991
Dennis Farr (Friendship Baptist Church)	
Route 2, Box 395, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-3090)	1992
James Winkler (Piney Grove Baptist Church)	
Route 5, Box 268, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-1440)	1992

Search Committee

(Nominated only as needed)

Strategy Committee

Mrs. Linda Story (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church)	
35 Countryside Drive, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-7221)	1990
Joe Icard (Poovey's Chapel Baptist Church)	
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District Group IV (Lenoir South): Clarence W. Prestwood (Miller Hill Church)
1421 Overlook Drive, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-6140)
District Group V (Hudson): Cecil Smith (Miller Hill Baptist Church)
1214 Overlook Drive, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-4197)
District Group VI (Granite Falls): Larry Starnes (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church)
Route 3, Box 275-C, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-2811)

Associational Vacation Bible School Team

Director: Mrs. Marlene Alexander (Central Baptist Church)
114 Dove Street, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-6381)
Middle Preschool Director: Donna Miller (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)
309 Magnolia Lane, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-2667)
Older Preschool Director: Anita Cable (Miller Hill Baptist Church)
237 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-3102)
Younger Children's Director: Mrs. Valerie Wall (Central Baptist Church)
P. O. Box 5696, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-9720)
Middle Children's Director: Janice Younce (Harrisburg Baptist Church)
510 Fairway Acres, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-4602)
Older Children's Director: Mrs. Joan Crouse (Meadowbrook Baptist Church)
2513 Central Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-9693)
Youth Director: Rev. Dan Redding (Center Grove Baptist Church)
Route 3, Box 826, Hudson, NC 28638 (396-5284)
Adult Director: Rev. David Philbeck (FBC Rhodhiss)
P. O. Box 29, Rhodhiss, NC 28667 (396-1224)
Special Education Director: Vicki Holden (FBC Whitnel)
316 Trenton Park, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-5265)
General Officers Director: Bobbi Watson (Miller Hill Baptist Church)
112 Tut Hill Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-8661)
Music Director: Mrs. Prudence Larew (Piney Grove Baptist Church)
229 Piney Grove Circle, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-5391)

Woman's Missionary Union Council

- Director: Mrs. Mary Suddreth (Clover Baptist Church)
449 Lacy Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-5819)
- Associate Director: Mrs. Joann Propst (FBC Rhodhiss)
63 Duke Power Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-3450)
- Secretary/Treasurer: Mrs. Lena Braswell (FBC Hudson)
Route 1, Box 66-A, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-8685)
- Mission Action/Personal Witnessing Director: Mrs. Mary Bentley (Yadkin Church)
Route 8, Box 382, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4076)
- Enlistment/Enlargement Director: Mrs. Muriel Nanney (FBC Hudson)
P. O. Box 662, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-7202)
- Baptist Women's Director: Mrs. Jan Lail (Flemings Chapel Baptist Church)
125 Spencer Heights, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-9516)
- Associate Baptist Women's Director: Mrs. Blanch Reid (Union Baptist Church)
Route 2, Box 316, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-4879)
- Baptist Young Women's Director: Mrs. Vicki Overcash (Temple Hill Baptist Church)
121 Woodlane Avenue, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (unlisted)
- Associate Baptist Young Women's Director: Mrs. Glenda Lovins (FBC Whitnel)
815 Treeland Circle, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-3340)
- Acteens Director: Mrs. Gwyn Warren (Hartland Baptist Church)
Route 7, Box 253-G, Morganton, NC 28655 (758-5647)
- Associate Acteen's Director: Mrs. Cheryl Wilson (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)
Route 3, Box 901, Hudson, NC 28638 (396-7725)
- Girls-In-Action Director: Mrs. Mildred Roberts (College Avenue Baptist Church)
124 Walt Arney Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-3593)
- Associate Girls-In-Action Director: Mrs. Alma Helton (Dudley Shoals Church)
Route 5, Box 1450, Hickory, NC 28601 (396-2023)
- Mission Friends Director: Miss Martha White (FBC Whitnel)
503 Connelly Springs Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-2853)
- Associate Mission Friends Director: Mrs. Becky Brown (Baton Baptist Church)
Route 2, Box 347, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-7421)

Group Directors

- Area One Director: Mrs. Lillian Turnmire (Meadowbrook Baptist Church)
1415 Meadowlane Drive, N.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-1937)
- Area Two Director: Mrs. Debbie McLean (Piney Grove Baptist Church)
146 Piney Grove Circle, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-9039)
- Area Three Director: Mrs. Sue Ford (Union Grove Baptist Church)
Route 1, Box 345-A, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-9410)
- Area Four Director: Mrs. Hazel Arnette (FBC Whitnel)
1148 Hibriten Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-9441)
- Area Five Director: Mrs. Linda Reid (Temple Hill Baptist Church)
Route 2, Box 406, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-6255)
- Area Six Director: Miss Carole Church (Clover Baptist Church)
39 Forest Avenue, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-2426/396-2417)
- Pianist: Mrs. Merle Chapman (North Catawba Church)
Route 3, Box 342, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-2158)
- Song Leader: Mrs. Marlene Alexander (Central Baptist Church)
114 Dove Street, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-6381)

W.M.U. Nominating Committee 1989-90

Mrs. Delores Hawkins, Chairperson (Lakeview Baptist Church) 1 year
518 Scroggs Street, N.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7710)

Mrs. Carolyn Setzer (FBC Whitnel) 2 years
160 Misty Morn, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-9130)

Mrs. Willie Mae Hege (Yadkin Baptist Church) 3 years
Route 10, Box 698, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4275)

PERSONNEL

Director of Missions: Rev. R. Dale Fisher (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)
P. O. Box 1555, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4081/754-2884)

Administrative Assistant: Ms. Ann L. Hatton (Kings Creek Baptist Church)
P. O. Box 1555, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4081/754-2884)

Custodian: Mr. Tommy Greene (Setzers Creek Baptist Church)
P. O. Box 1555, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4081/754-2884)

PASTORAL MINISTRIES COUNCIL

Dr. Dale Larew, Director
Crest View Baptist Church

The Pastoral Ministries Council assists the churches in the development of pastoral ministries, deacon ministry, vocational guidance and church administration services. In addition, the council is responsible for interviewing candidates for ordination to the "Gospel Ministry" as requested by the churches.

At the Summer Quarterly Meeting the messengers approved a recommendation by the council to begin a ministry at the Meadowbrook Manor Nursing Home in Lenoir. On August 6, 1989, the ministry began with a worship service offered for the residents on the first and third Sundays of each month.

On January 5-6, 1990, a Deacon Workshop will be offered by the council. The workshop will be held at the Mt. Zion Baptist Church.

Respectfully submitted,
Associational Staff

PASTORAL MINISTRIES — ORDINATION COUNCIL

Rev. Willard Jenkins, Director
Dry Ponds Baptist Church

The Ordination Council has met six times this year to interview candidates for ordination.

On November 27, 1988, Terry Crouse was interviewed at the request of the Concord Baptist Church where he serves as Minister of Music and Youth. He was ordained by the Concord Church.

Brooks Walker was interviewed on December 19, 1988, and was later ordained by the Crest View Baptist Church at the request of the North Catawba Baptist Church where he serves as the Minister of Music and Special Ministries. Crest View was his home church.

At the request of the Flemings Chapel Baptist Church the council met for an interview with Michael Patton on March 15, 1989. He was later ordained by them and took up his work as pastor of the Eagle Springs Baptist Church in Eagle Springs, North Carolina.

Alan Beane was interviewed by the council on May 3, 1989, at the request of the Union Grove Baptist Church and the New Hope Baptist mission of the Zion Baptist Church, Morganton, where Alan was serving as mission pastor.

William Ronald Rogers, a deacon in the Grandview Park Baptist Church, was called to pastor the Grandview Park Church and the council met there for an interview with him on June 16, 1989. He was later ordained there.

Allen Roberts, a spring graduate of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary and at that time a member of the Concord Baptist Church, was interviewed by the council on July 18, 1989. He was ordained by the Concord Church and is now serving as pastor of the Brookdale Baptist Church, Siler City, North Carolina.

All of these men related their conversion experiences and testimony of their response to God's call to pastor or to other vocational Christian ministry. They were questioned about their doctrinal beliefs, their understanding of the work to which they felt called, their denominational cooperation and participation, and their family's support of their calling and commitment.

The council was pleased with their responses and unanimously recommended the men to their respective church for ordination.

Respectfully submitted,
Willard Jenkins, Director
Ordination Council

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. Joel Sellers
Lower Creek Baptist Church

The Personnel Committee, along with the Finance Committee, recommends that the Caldwell Baptist Association establish a full time Church Development Director staff position. A job description and financial support package are given below.

PROPOSED JOB DESCRIPTION CHURCH DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR

I. POSITION TITLE:

Church Development Director for the Caldwell Baptist Association

II. GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

The director serves as the administrative leader and church consultant in the area of church development for the association

III. QUALIFICATIONS:

- A. A committed Christian with a sense of definite call to mission service
- B. A member of a Southern Baptist church
- C. Preferably college and Southern Baptist seminary degrees
- D. Knowledge and appreciation of Southern Baptist denominational life; leadership ability in planning, conducting and evaluating the work of the association and a willingness to continue to learn
- E. Pastoral ministry, Christian educational ministry, or vocational missions experience

IV. PROCEDURE FOR CALL AND TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT:

"Election to this office is upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee

and by two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association. The time of service is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the Church Development Director or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee." (Article VI, Section 1B, Associational Bylaws)

V. RESPONSIBILITIES:

A. Team member of the Associational Staff

1. Work under the supervision of the Director of Missions
2. Cooperate fully with all associational staff
3. Responsible for the development of the associational programs of Brotherhood, Discipleship Training, Family Ministry, Media Library, Music Ministry, Recreation, Stewardship, Sunday School and Woman's Missionary Union
4. Serve as an ex-officio member of such associational committees, councils and groups as related to areas of responsibility or as deemed necessary by the Director of Missions
5. Provide responsible leadership in the work of the association through planning, correlating, implementing and evaluating assigned programs in cooperation with associational leadership
6. Promote and provide training opportunities for associational leadership in assigned areas of responsibility
7. Counsel and encourage associational leadership as needed or requested
8. Responsible for the development of the Baptist Center Media Library in cooperation with the associational Librarian and the Media Library Council
9. Serve as editor of the Caldwell Baptist Caller

B. Facilitator to the Churches

1. Serve as an consultant in the program areas of Brotherhood, Discipleship Training, Family Ministry, Media Library, Music Ministry, Recreation, Stewardship, Sunday School and Woman's Missionary Union
2. Encourage churches to use the best available skills, tools and facilities in developing church programs
3. Promote and provide training opportunities for church leadership
4. Visit churches for routine, ceremonial or functional occasions
5. Teach and speak in the churches by invitation
6. Counsel and encourage church leaders as needed or requested
7. Work closely with church staff members
8. Help to strengthen relationships among the churches
9. Promote and interpret the denomination and the association to the churches

C. Representative to Denomination and Community

1. Maintain cooperative relationships with Baptist associations, Baptist state conventions and the Southern Baptist Convention
2. Cooperate as appropriate with other religious groups
3. Work as appropriate with businesses, as well as social, educational and welfare agencies
4. Exercise Christian citizenship through cooperation with city, county, state and national governments

VI. TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:

- A. A total of three weeks professional leave for outside engagements such as: conventions, military duty, World Missions Conferences and training conferences
- B. Two weeks of vacation each year with full salary and benefits; three weeks after three years of service
- C. Arrange work schedule to allow for one full day off each week
- D. Salary and benefits negotiated with and recommended by the Personnel Committee subject to approval by the Finance Committee and by the association
- E. Twenty days sick leave with pay each year if needed; additional time may be granted by the Personnel Committee if needed

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CHURCH DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR FINANCIAL SUPPORT

I. DIRECT INCOME

A. Salary	\$20,500.00
B. Housing and Utilities	6,500.00
C. Payroll Taxes	1,989.00
D. Christmas Gift	<u>394.00</u>
Total Direct Income	\$29,383.00

II. BENEFITS

A. Insurance (Life, Medical & Disability)	3,600.00
B. Retirement	<u>4,050.00</u>
Total Benefits	7,650.00

III. MINISTRY EXPENSE

A. Convention and Conferences	1,000.00
B. Travel	<u>1,800.00</u>
Total Ministry Expense	<u>2,800.00</u>
Total Financial Support	<u><u>\$39,833.00</u></u>

Respectfully submitted,
Joel Sellers, Chairman
Personnel Committee

PRAYER COUNCIL REPORT

Mrs. Delores Leftwich
Lower Creek Baptist Church

Prayer Partners met together at Crest View Church on July 30, 1989. Rev. Dale Fisher gave instructions concerning our responsibilities. Twenty-seven churches were represented at the meeting.

A list with names and telephone numbers of each partner will be given to each partner. When any church has a prayer request it will start and end at the Baptist Center. Each church will receive the request through one of the prayer partners of that church and it will be passed along through the prayer chain. Hebrews 4:16 "Let

us come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.”

The Conference on Prayer for Spiritual Awakening was held at Lower Creek Church on October 12 and 13. Mrs. Nell Bruce, Missions Service Corps., Home Mission Board, S.B.C. led the conference. Forty-four persons were in attendance. We were blessed by her excellent spiritual leadership.

Respectfully submitted,
Delores Leftwich, Director
Prayer Council

PROPERTIES COMMITTEE REPORT

Lewis Miller
Mt. Zion Baptist Church

This has been an active year for the Properties Committee. Several significant actions have been completed at the Baptist Center in Lenoir and at the Caldwell Cottage in Ridgecrest.



CALDWELL BAPTIST CENTER

An outdoor, lighted sign was installed during the first part of the associational year. Interior door signs were also added which clearly label the various rooms of the building. Beautiful shrubbery was placed around the outdoor sign in the spring. Also, new lettering was placed on the building and the S.B.C. logo was refinished.

A Dell Computer System was purchased from the Church Information System of the Baptist Sunday School Board for use in the Baptist Center. In addition, a spiral binding machine was added to the inventory of office equipment.

Permission was granted by the messengers in April to allow the Crest View Baptist Church to use the Baptist Center on Sunday mornings for overflow Sunday School space. The church is using the building for adult Sunday School classes.



CALDWELL COTTAGE

The renovation project at the cottage is nearly complete. New vinyl siding which covers the outside of the building presents a bright and attractive appearance. A new fire escape has been constructed to provide a better escape from the second floor in the event of an emergency. The building has new wiring which gives greater safety and efficiency. Extra comfort has been provided with new showers and a second water heater. New windows have helped to beautify the building.

Late this fall, a Caldwell Cottage sign will be erected on the bank in front of the cottage. In addition, a major clean-up has been planned for the outside area around the building.

Because of the improvements at the cottage and outdated policies, the Properties Committee wants to upgrade the policies for the use of the building. The following recommendations are made for consideration by the messengers.

CALDWELL COTTAGE Ridgecrest, North Carolina POLICIES

I. OWNERSHIP AND OPERATION

- A. The Caldwell Cottage is owned and operated by the Caldwell Baptist Association. The property is located within the confines of the Ridgecrest Baptist Conference Center but is not owned or operated by the Conference Center.
- B. The Properties Committee of the Caldwell Baptist Association is responsible for maintaining the property.
- C. The associational staff is responsible for scheduling the use of the cottage.

II. SCHEDULE OF OPERATION

- A. The cottage will be available for use from April 1 through October 31 each year. The cottage will be unavailable for use from November 1 through March 31 each year, except for maintenance.
- B. The cottage may be rented only by the week during June, July and August.

- C. The cottage may be rented on a daily basis during April, May, September and October.
- D. Individuals or groups should check-in no earlier than 12:00 noon on the first day of their stay and should check-out no later than 12:00 noon on the last day of their stay. Any other arrangements must be cleared with the associational staff.

III. RESERVATIONS AND COSTS

- A. Reservations should be made with a member of the associational staff during regular business hours at the Caldwell Baptist Center in Lenoir. The Baptist Center is open Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
Correspondence and checks should be sent to the Caldwell Baptist Association, P. O. Box 1555, Lenoir, NC 28645. The telephone numbers at the Baptist Center are (704) 758-4081 or (704) 754-2884.
- B. Member churches of the Caldwell Baptist Association have the first choice of dates through January 31 each year. As of February 1, dates are available on a first contact basis from groups inside or outside the association. Reservations are given priority according to the date of the telephone call for a reservation, or by the postmarked date on the envelope containing a request for a reservation. The earliest date is given the first choice.
- C. During June, July and August the cottage may be rented only by the week. A deposit of \$125.00 must be delivered to the Caldwell Baptist Center, 208 NuWay Circle, Lenoir in person, or mailed to the Caldwell Baptist Association, P. O. Box 1555, Lenoir, NC 28645, within three weeks from the date that the reservation was received by an associational staff member or the reservation will be cancelled. The deposit must be received before using the cottage.

The cost per day for each person from a church in the Caldwell Association is \$5.00. The cost per day for each person from outside the Caldwell Association is \$7.00. The deposit of \$125.00 will be deducted from the total expense for the week, provided that the cottage was not damaged during the group's stay.

- D. During April, May, September and October the cottage may be rented on a daily basis. A deposit of \$25.00 must be delivered to the Caldwell Baptist Center, 208 NuWay Circle, Lenoir, in person, or mailed to the Caldwell Baptist Association, P. O. Box 1555, Lenoir, NC 28645, within three weeks from the date that the reservation was received by an associational staff member or the reservation will be cancelled. The deposit must be received before using the cottage. The \$25.00 may be waived by an associational staff member if circumstances warrant such action.

The cost per day for each person from a church in the Caldwell Association is \$5.00. the cost per day for each person outside the association is \$7.00. The deposit of \$25.00 will be deducted from the total expense provided that the cottage was not damaged during the groups or individual's stay.

IV. GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Each individual or group will be responsible for any damage to the property during their stay.
- B. All trash should be placed in proper trash containers.
- C. The contents of the cottage should not be removed from the premises.

- D. Each group will provide for their own meals.
- E. Each person will be responsible for their own pillow, blanket, linens, towels and toiletries.
- F. A sufficient number of chaperons must accompany groups of youth or children.
- G. Each person should study the fire evacuation procedure posted throughout the building.
- H. In the event of an emergency, please contact an associational staff member at the Baptist Center (704-758-4081) during business hours, or contact the Director of Missions (704-728-4744) after hours.
- I. Reservations for conferences and activities at the Ridgecrest Conference Center should be made directly with the conference center. Correspondence should be sent to the Ridgecrest Baptist Conference Center, P. O. Box 128, Ridgecrest, NC 28770. The telephone number at Ridgecrest is (704) 669-8022.

Respectfully submitted,
 Lewis Miller, Chairman
 Properties Committee

RECREATION COUNCIL REPORT

Joe Gibbons, Director
 First Baptist Church of Lenoir

The Recreation Council assists the churches in providing recreation methods, materials, services and experience and is available to other associational organizations wishing to use recreation in accomplishing their particular tasks.

Respectfully submitted,
 Associational Staff

RELIGIOUS LITERATURE/BIBLICAL RECORDER REPORT

Carole Church
 Clover Baptist Church

THE BIBLICAL RECORDER

After more than 150 years as the Baptist paper serving north Carolina Baptists in particular and Southern Baptist in general, the *Biblical Recorder* is launching a new era of service and ministry for the decade of the '90s and the 21st Century.

We have just completed a year-long readership survey at substantial cost and investment of time and energy, but we believe it is going to be helpful in charting the course for future service to our family of faith.

Baptists must have a single source of news and information upon which to make decisions and evaluate ministries. The *Recorder* is that source; nothing else matches the paper as a single resource of news, information, inspiration and challenge in our mission efforts together.

Competition for reading time is keen. Baptist are facing more and more demands upon their time and resources. The *Recorder* is never a luxury; it is a necessity if we are to work together in this complex and demanding age.

We have exciting plans for the future. More feature articles about North Carolinians, more articles geared to youth, family and women. An even greater focus on laypersons will continue after the beginning we make in 1988.

And we are trying to work out the mechanics of church pages whereby we can save churches time, money and staff work by offering them a page in the *Recorder* in lieu of their weekly newsletter. Watch for more details in the *Recorder* in the near future concerning this time and money-saving device for the churches (and associations).

We have a large readership now but we want more — that is the purpose of the paper. We serve hundreds of thousands of Baptists but we want to serve even more. More than 60 percent of our news is from North Carolina now, but we want a higher percentage soon!

The most important thing facing us at this point is to get the paper into more Baptist homes than ever before. Will you help us? Not only subscribe to and read the *Recorder* yourself but please speak a good word for the paper and urge others to subscribe and read it also. For more information on rates and special plans for subscribing, contact: *The Biblical Recorder*, 232 West Millbrook Road, Raleigh, NC 27609, Phone: (919) 847-2127.

Respectfully submitted,
Carole Church, Representative

SEMINARY EXTENSION COUNCIL REPORT

Mrs. Delores Hawkins
Lakeview Baptist Church

Learning and studying together. Sharing ideas and fellowship one night a week in a classroom setting . . . this is exciting . . . this is Seminary Extension!

Our classes are held at the Caldwell Baptist Center where qualified teachers help us continue our education as laypeople or pastors.

New courses and programs are being made available to participants. Seminary Extension is sponsored by our six Southern Baptist seminaries. Most of them have joined with us to provide an Associate Degree Program. The students can receive credit through a particular Seminary for the work being done in their own classroom. Get excited — get ready — to study your Bible and related topics! Get into Seminary Extension in your association!

Respectfully submitted,
Delores Hawkins, Night Center Dir.
Seminary Extension Council

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

Mrs. Joann Propst
First Baptist Church of Rhodhiss

WHAT IS STATE MISSIONS?

It is the 100 counties of North Carolina working together to reach the more than three million of our state's six million residents who claim no membership in any church. There were 100,000 more people enrolled in Sunday School in our Baptist churches twenty years ago than there are today.

It is language work with the thousands of people from different lands now calling North Carolina home.

It is working with the migrant and seasonal farm workers that can be found in almost every section of our state.

It is scholarships provided to North Carolina Baptist students attending one of the seven North Carolina Baptist Colleges and Universities.

It is teaching thousands of people in North Carolina who cannot read or write.

It is camps for our R.A.s, G.A.s and Acteens at Camp Caraway and Camp Mundo Vista.

It is the North Carolina Baptist Assembly at Caswell that contributes toward the growth and spiritual development of hundreds of Baptist Young People.

It is Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute training new pastors.

It is training North Carolina Baptist leaders to enable them to minister more effectively in their local churches.

It is chaplains ministering to those with special needs in prisons, hospitals, military and law enforcement.

It is the Brotherhood providing relief to thousands of people who are victims of a hurricane, toronado, or floods using the Disaster Relief Van.

It is helping people who are deaf, blind, mentally retarded, those who abuse drugs and alcohol, and those who are homeless.

It is special people like the two from Caldwell Association featured in the 1989 State Mission study, Jesse Bowman, Granite Falls First, the first pastor of the First Baptist Church of the Deaf in North Carolina and Alma (Suzie) Helton, Dudley Shoals Baptist Church, who has been going on volunteer mission trips three or four times a year since 1979.

It is our way of changing lives.

Respectfully submitted,
Joann Propst, Representative

STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL REPORT

Bruce Kirby, Director
Lower Creek Baptist Church

The Stewardship Council assists the churches in the development of individual and corporate stewardship. The council consists of a Program Director, Stewardship Development Director and a Stewardship Promotion Director.

A Bold Missions Stewardship Conference was held for pastors and other church leaders at the Western Steer Steak House in Lenoir on May 22, 1989. The conference was provided by the Stewardship Division of the Baptist State Convention.

A "Witnessing/Giving Life Seminar" will be conducted at the Western Steer Steak House in Lenoir on June 21, 1990. This will be for pastors and other church leaders. The seminar, which will include a meal, will be jointly sponsored by the Evangelism and Stewardship Divisions of the Baptist State Convention.

Respectfully submitted,
Associational Staff

STRATEGY COMMITTEE REPORT

Pete Underdown
First Baptist Church of Lenoir

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS

The following three amendments were presented to the messengers as information during the Summer Quarterly Meeting. Amendments Number One and Two were presented by the Strategy Committee and Amendment Number Three was presented by the Finance Committee. All three amendments have gone through the proper procedure for presentation, discussion and vote during the Annual Meeting.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE: CHURCH DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR

1. Positions:
 - b. The *Church Development Director* serves the association as the administrative leader and church consultant in the development of the programs of Brotherhood, Discipleship Training, Family Ministry, Media Library, Music Ministry, Recreation, Stewardship, Sunday School and Woman's Missionary Union. The person is to provide responsible leadership through planning, correlating, implementing and evaluating these assigned programs in cooperation with associational leadership. Training opportunities, counsel, and encouragement are to be offered for associational and church leaders as needed or requested. Other responsibilities include developing the Baptist Center Media Library in cooperation with the associational Librarian and Media Library Council, serving as editor of the Caldwell Baptist Caller, and working in other associational capacities as deemed necessary by the Director of Missions.

Election to this office is upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee and by two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association. The time of service is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the Church Development Director or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- c. The *Administrative Assistant* serves . . . (same)
 - d. A *Summer Worker* serves . . . (same)
 - e. *Office Help* serves . . . (same)
 - f. *Custodial Services* serve . . . (same)
2. General
 - c. The Personnel Committee or any other committee cannot recommend the Director of Missions, The Church Development Director, the Administrative Assistant . . . (same)

(See pages 12-13 of the 1988 Annual Minutes.)

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO: NAME CHANGE FOR CHURCH TRAINING

During the 1989 Annual Meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention in Las Vegas, the name of the program of Church Training was changed to Discipleship Training. This change became effective on October 1, 1989. The Strategy Committee recommends that the name Church Training be changed to Discipleship Training throughout the Constitution and Bylaws.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE: PERCENTAGE INCREASE

The Finance Committee recommends an amendment to the Bylaws, Article III: Finances, Section 5, that: Each associational church is requested to contribute at least 4% of all undesignated receipts to the association.

FURTHER PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS

The following amendments are being presented as information to the messengers during the Annual Meeting. These amendments will formally be presented for discussion and vote during the Winter Quarterly Meeting on Thursday, January 25, 1990 at Miller Hill Baptist Church.

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE: ASSOCIATIONAL MEETINGS COMMITTEE
(Please refer to the *1988 Annual Minutes* for the current reading, pages 10, 11, 14, 17 and 18. The italicized words represent changes.)

Bylaws, Article V: Meetings

Section 2. The Associational Meetings . . . meeting. The location for each quarterly meeting is to be presented *in the annual "Calendar of Activities" for the forthcoming year. The committee may ask the associational messengers to move a quarterly meeting to a date one week prior to or one week after a scheduled meeting date to avoid conflict with a major denominational emphasis date.* The meetings are . . . basis.

Section 3. (same)

Section 4. *The Moderator may postpone and reschedule quarterly or called meetings of the associational messengers, in cooperation with the Director of Missions and the Associational Meetings Committee Chairman, in the event of inclement weather or other unforeseen crises.*

Section 5. A quorum . . .

Section 6. *Roberts Rules of Order, Revised* . . .

Section 7. Visitors . . .

Bylaws, Article VI: Organization and Leadership

Section 1.

C. Administrative Services

2. Committees

- a. The ASSOCIATIONAL MEETINGS COMMITTEE is responsible for planning and conducting the regular and called meetings of the *associational messengers*. The duties of this committee are to: (1) propose an order of business for each meeting of the *associational messengers*; (2) enlist all program personnel for the (delete word) meetings; . . . (6) recommend *future* meeting places to the associational messengers *in the annual "Calendar of Activities" for the forthcoming year; the committee may ask the associational messengers to move a quarterly meeting to a date one week prior to or one week after a scheduled meeting date to avoid conflict with a major denominational emphasis date.*

The SEARCH COMMITTEE is designed to serve only as needed to secure a Director of Missions. *Its duties are to: (1) meet as a committee for the first time within a month following election by the association; (2) choose from within the committee a chairman, vice-chairman and secretary during the first meeting; (3) study and follow carefully the Job Description for the Director of Missions; (4) seek comments and suggestions from the association concerning the expectations of the next Director of Missions; (5) report regularly to the association on progress being*

made; (6) develop a list of prospects for the position; (7) narrow the list of candidates, thoroughly researching qualifications and references; (8) interview and observe most favorable candidate(s) in different settings; (9) unanimously present choice candidate to the association for approval; (10) assist newly elected Director of Missions during transition period; and (11) inform all other candidates by letter, as necessary, of the decision of the association, expressing appreciation to each person for their time and cooperation. The committee will . . .

3. Officers

a.

The MODERATOR presides over the quarterly and called meetings of the ASSOCIATIONAL MESSENGERS. As the presiding officer, the Moderator (1) opens the meetings punctually at the appointed time, enforces the rules, preserves the order, and exercises all the prerogatives of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parliamentary usage (*Robert's Rules of Order, Revised*); (2) *appoints* a parliamentarian, *if desired*, to serve at any or all meetings of the *associational messengers* during his term of office; the person *appointed must be* approved by the messengers-in-session; (3) *serves as an ex-officio member of all committees, councils, and groups of the association*; (4) *calls the associational messengers together for special meetings to deal with extremely urgent matters that cannot wait until the next quarterly meeting (Before calling a special meeting to order, a notice of least two weeks is to be given to the associational messengers with a clear explanation as to the purpose of the meeting. A quorum of fifty associational messengers must be present to conduct a special meeting.); (5) postpones and reschedules quarterly or called meetings of the associational messengers, in cooperation with the Director of Missions and the Associational Meetings Committee Chairman, in the event of inclement weather or other unforeseen crises; and (6) serves as a member of the Director of Missions Search Committee. The Moderator is elected for a one-year term and is eligible for election to a second consecutive term; however, after serving for two consecutive years, the individual could not be considered for Moderator for at least one year.*

STATISTICAL COMPARISONS

COMPARISONS	1986	1987	1988	1989
Churches	69	69	71	72
Church Members	25,671	26,158	25,662	25,802
Baptisms	543	513	632	574
Additions by letter	681	660	551	674
Total additions (Letter & Baptisms)	1,224	1,173	1,183	1,248
Sunday School Enrollment	14,999	14,838	15,013	15,200
V.B.S. Enrollment	6,586	6,297	6,589	6,860
Church Training Enrollment	3,685	3,858	4,063	4,009
W.M.U. Enrollment	2,730	2,821	2,804	2,929
Baptist Men Enrollment (Men & R.A.'s)	1,612	1,709	1,418	1,462

Music Enrollment	3,960	3,892	3,752	3,741
Lottie Moon Offering	205,420	233,150	251,773	—
Foreign Missions	214,376	227,628	242,5088	248,826
(Reported in letters)				
Home Missions	75,224	81,552	86,004	85,794
(Including Annie Armstrong)				
Annie Armstrong Offering	69,393	73,564	81,832	82,802
N.C. Missions Offering	42,275	38,582	35,937	39,870
Total Mission Gifts	1,380,432	1,451,351	1,577,489	1,610,208
Total Church Receipts	7,354,470	7,718,860	8,124,357	8,537,078
Total Church Expenditures	5,333,590	5,491,010	6,175,770	5,605,815
Pastors and staff salaries	1,902,494	2,001,804	2,271,551	2,442,225
Value of Church Property	37,092,410	39,606,830	41,459,225	43,251,107
Cooperative Program Gifts	649,073	681,270	727,924	744,728

We did not receive a church letter from the following churches: Globe, Green Rock, Johns River, Liberty, Lovelady, New Life and Pisgah.

From January 1-December 31, 1988, the Caldwell Baptist Association ranked tenth out of seventy-nine North Carolina Southern Baptist Associations in total mission gifts. Cooperative Program gifts totaled \$722,130.89 and Special offerings totaled \$342,632.74 making a grand total for Mission Gifts of \$1,064,763.63.

SUNDAY SCHOOL COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Donald W. Ingle
Dublely Shoals Baptist Church

The 1988-89 Associational Sunday School year began with the first ever Spark Plug Night. The event was held at the Meadowbrook Church on October 13, 1988. Dr. Tom Melzoni was the speaker.

On December 20 the Sunday School Council met for Annual Planning at the Baptist Center. In February, 1989 the Director of Missions and the Sunday School Director attended a Sunday School Conference during the State Evangelism Conference in Greensboro.

On February 11, members of the ASSISTeam traveled to Asheville for training by state Sunday School leaders. With the training received in Asheville, the ASSISTeam led a Sunday School Conference for the association at the Mountain Grove Baptist Church.

A Pastor/Sunday School Director Workshop was held on August 28 at the Lower Creek Baptist Church. The workshop showed how the Sunday School could be used in the 1990 "Here's Hope: Jesus Cares For You" revival effort.

Two major Sunday School events are planned for October, 1988: Spark Plug Night on October 17 at the Yadkin Church and High Attendance Day on October 29. Dr. R. Wayne Jones, Associate Pastor and Minister of Education, First Baptist Church, Norfolk, Virginia will be the speaker for Spark Plug Night. Following the 1989-90 Sunday School Theme, "Share Hope . . . Reach 10," the High Attendance goal is 10,010 in Caldwell Baptist Sunday Schools on October 29.

The Associational Sunday School Improvement Support Team is available to help churches or individuals with their Sunday School. Please contact Doug Jordan, the

1989-90 Sunday School Director and he will arrange the assistance you need.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

The Associational Vacation Bible School Team is a major part of the Sunday School Program. Mrs. Lou Ann Bufgett served as the 1988-89 Associational V.B.S. Director.

An Early Bird V.B.S. Clinic was led by Rev. Dan Redding at the Lower Creek Baptist Church on March 16, 1989. The clinic was designed to help pastors and V.B.S. Directors in planning for the Vacation Bible School in their individual churches.

Two identical Vacation Bible School Clinics were held in April and May for workers. The First Baptist Church of Granite Falls, on April 25 and the First Baptist Church of Lenoir, on May 4, hosted the clinics.

Respectfully submitted,
Don Ingle, Director
Sunday School Council

TREASURER'S REPORT

Jack Spainhour

First Baptist Church of Lenoir

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

September 1, 1988 - September 30, 1989

Beginning Balance September 1, 1988 \$49,706.72

I. ANTICIPATED RECEIPTS:

A. Undesignated Receipts \$132,436.92

B. Designated Receipts

1. Annual Minutes \$1,276.50
2. Baptist State Convention 2,700.02
3. Miscellaneous 4,735.21
4. Vacation Bible School 410.49

Total Designated Receipts 9,122.22

Total Receipts and Beginning Balance \$191,265.86

II. BUDGETED MINISTRIES:

A. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

1. Annual Minutes \$2,317.88
2. Contingency 195.90
3. Media Library: Baptist Center 1,080.57
4. Office Expense 11,045.34
5. Properties
 - a. Maintenance 1,909.59
 - b. Office Equipment 6,216.11
 - c. Utilities 5,307.97
6. Treasurer 2,600.00

Total Administrative Services 30,673.36

B. FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

1. Church Secretaries .....	.00
2. Ministers Conference	240.08
3. Ministers/Wives Quarterly Fellowship	231.93
4. Ministers' Wives .....	.00
5. Music Leaders .....	.00
6. Retired Ministers .....	.00
7. Youth Leaders .....	.00
Total Fellowship Groups	472.01

C. GOVERNING (Associational Meetings)

1. Annual Meeting Meal .....	.00
2. Miscellaneous: Speakers	866.35
Total Governing	866.35

D. MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAMS

1. Associational Council	87.76
2. Brotherhood Council	1,052.02
3. Christian Life Council	22.75
4. Church Training Council	818.45
5. Evangelism Council	513.30
6. Family Ministry Council	161.85
7. Media Library Council	114.59
8. Missions Development Council	82.74
9. Music Ministry Council	500.00
10. Pastoral Ministries Council .....	.00
11. Prayer Council	277.68
12. Recreation Council .....	.00
13. Seminary Extension Council	-52.52
14. Stewardship Council .....	.00
15. Sunday School Council	914.71
—V.B.S.	75.55
16. W.M.U. Council	1,009.50
Total Mission Performance Councils	5,578.31

E. PERSONNEL

1. Salaries:	
a. Director of Missions	26,430.00
b. Administrative Assistant	18,850.00
c. Custodial Services	2,405.00
d. Office Help	437.32
e. Summer Worker .....	.00
2. Benefits:	
a. Housing and Utilities	10,301.61
b. Insurance (Life, Medical & Disability)	
(1) Director of Missions	4,010.47
(2) Administrative Assistant	4,050.00
c. Retirement:	
(1) Director of Missions	5,510.05
(2) Administrative Assistant	2,830.10

3. Christmas Gifts:
 - a. Director of Missions 475.00
 - b. Administrative Assistant 335.00
4. Ministry Expense:
 - a. Conventions/Conferences:
 - Director of Missions 1,150.20
 - b. Hospitality 155.90
 - c. Travel:
 - (1) Director of Missions 4,428.55
 - (2) Administrative Assistant 343.26
5. Payroll Taxes:
 - a. Director of Missions 1,926.72
 - b. Administrative Assistant 947.71

Total Personnel 84,586.89

F. SPECIAL MISSIONS

1. Alpha Omega 300.00
2. Brazil Partnership 673.77
3. Local Ministry00

Total Special Missions 973.77

Total Expense for Budgeted Ministries 123,150.69

III. NON-BUDGETED MINISTRIES (Self Supporting):

- A. Caldwell Cottage 17,996.65
- B. Ministers Support 1,575.00

Total Expenses for Non-Budget Ministries 19,571.65

TOTAL 1988-89 MINISTRY EXPENSES -142,722.34

BALANCE SEPTEMBER 30, 1989 \$48,543.52

FINANCIAL STATEMENT Ministers Support

Balance September 1, 1988	\$5,342.52
Receipts	<u>2,700.02</u>
	\$8,042.54
Disbursements	<u>-1,575.00</u>
Balance September 30, 1989	<u><u>\$6,467.54</u></u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENT Ridgecrest Cottage

Balance September 1, 1988	\$4,528.67
Receipts	<u>2,033.53</u>
Total Receipts and Balance	\$6,562.20
Disbursements	<u>-1,779.97</u>
Balance September 30, 1989	<u><u>\$4,782.23</u></u>

ANALYSIS OF RECEIPTS

September 1, 1988 - September 30, 1989

CHURCH	RECEIPTS	MINUTES	V.B.S.	TOTAL
Baton	\$2,025.54\$		\$	\$2,025.54
Bethany				.00
Blairs Fork				.00
Buffalo Cove	300.00	44.00		344.00
Cajahs Mountain	650.00	7.50		657.50
Calvary	400.00	93.75		493.75
Cedar Rock	1,285.00			1,285.00
Center Grove	3,448.66	22.50		3,471.16
Central	3,347.75			3,347.75
Clarks Chapel	5,401.80	70.00		5,471.80
Clearview		42.00		42.00
Clover	2,699.96		58.28	2,758.24
College Avenue	2,925.00			2,925.00
Concord	4,274.95	11.25		4,286.20
Conways Chapel		3.50		3.50
Crest View	1,342.00			1,342.00
Dry Ponds	4,360.28	42.00		4,402.28
Dudley Shoals	12,180.38	93.75		12,274.13
Edgemont				.00
Fellowship	3,704.71	18.75		3,723.46
Flemings Chapel	2,545.79			2,545.79
Friendship	3,509.87			3,509.87
Globe	37.50			37.50
Grandin	50.00	37.50		87.50
Grandview Park	215.50			215.50
Granite Falls FBC	2,166.58	10.50		2,177.08
Green Rock				.00
Green Valley	162.50	41.25	81.93	285.68
Harris Chapel				.00
Harrisburg	926.50	15.00		941.50
Hartland	2,465.00	22.50	34.10	2,521.60
Hibriten				.00
Hudson FBC	7,041.67	82.50		7,124.17
Johns River				.00
Kings Creek	1,600.00			1,600.00
Lakeview	\$1,873.00\$			\$1,873.00
Lenoir FBC	5,320.00	7.50		5,327.50
Liberty				.00

CHURCH	RECEIPTS	MINUTES	V.B.S.	TOTAL
Livingston Memorial	521.14	15.00		536.14
Lovelady				.00
Lower Creek	3,800.00	56.25		3,856.25
Meadowbrook	5,735.36			5,735.36
Miller Hill	1,516.57	15.00		1,531.57
Mountain Grove	4,337.01			4,337.01
Mountain View	150.00	11.25	21.50	182.75
Mt. Carmel	302.82	14.00	50.87	367.69
Mt. Zion	8,228.86	37.50		8,266.36
Mulberry	300.00	45.00		345.00
Mulvale	1,600.00	15.00		1,615.00
Nelsons Chapel	429.24			429.24
New Life	704.09			704.09
North Catawba	1,525.00	37.50		1,562.50
Oak Grove	1,300.00	56.25		1,356.25
Open Door (M)	20.00			20.00
Piney Grove	780.00	30.00		810.00
Pisgah				.00
Pooveys Chapel	1,014.92	18.75	40.65	1,074.32
Pooveys Grove	641.19			641.19
Rhodhiss FBC	1,541.22			1,541.22
Rocky Springs	607.64			607.64
Rufus		10.50		10.50
Setzers Creek	1,590.00	75.00	47.84	1,712.84
Sunrise	600.00	45.00		645.00
Temple Hill	3,295.49		75.32	3,370.81
Union	2,431.00	45.00		2,476.00
Union Grove	3,160.00			3,160.00
West Lenoir		15.00		15.00
Whitnel FBC	7,865.92	26.25		7,892.17
Yadkin	1,697.51			1,697.51
Yadkin Valley				.00
Zacks Fork	500.00			500.00
Misc. Minutes		42.50		42.50
Misc. Receipts				7,435.23
TOTALS	\$132,436.92	\$1,276.50	\$410.49	\$141,559.14

Respectfully submitted,
 Jack Spainhour, Treasurer
 Caldwell Baptist Association

TRUSTEES COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. John DeMauro
Nelsons Chapel Baptist Church

The Trustees Committee has met this year to discuss the procedure for incorporating the association, and to further study the possibility of a camp for the association. These were assignments given to the 1988-89 Trustees Committee by the messengers during the 1988 Annual Meeting.

The Trustees Committee is still working on the incorporation process. Further study, with the assistance of an attorney, is currently underway.

A survey was given by the committee to the messengers during the Spring Quarterly Meeting to determine the feelings of the people concerning a camp. The survey has helped the committee in the study. No recommendations are ready at this time.

Respectfully submitted,
John DeMauro, Chairman
Trustees Committee

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION ANNUAL MEETING

Temple Hill Baptist Church

April 10, 1989

7:00 P.M.

The Seventy-Sixth Annual WMU Session of Caldwell Baptist Association met at Temple Hill Baptist Church, April 10, 1989 at 7:00 P.M. The theme for the meeting was "As You Go . . . Declare It!" Mrs. Mary Suddreth, Associational WMU Director called the meeting into session by asking everyone to join her in saying the WMU Watchword . . . "You have heard; look at all this. And you, will you not declare it? I proclaim to you new things from this time. Even hidden things which you have not known." Isaiah 48:6 NASB

Miss Audrey Smith, directed the congregation in singing "Forward through the Ages", accompanied by Mrs. Merle Chapman, pianist.

There was a moment of quiet meditation and prayer in memory of Mr. Ralph Pennell of Whitnel who had recently passed away. He is the father of Mrs. Mildred Roberts, Associational GA Director, and Rev. Wayne Pennell, Caldwell missionary to Indonesia.

Mrs. Jan Lail led a meaningful call to prayer for the missionaries on the prayer calendar. She asked that we add Rev. Dale Fisher, our Director of Missions, and Mrs. Mary Suddreth, our Associational WMU Director, names to the list since they have April birthdays.

Mrs. Linda Reid, WMU Director of the host church, extended a warm welcome to everyone and invited everyone to go to the fellowship building for refreshments after the meeting.

Mary Suddreth had the following announcements:

- A. *The Second Century Fund* is a permanent endowment fund established in observance of WMU's Centennial year as today's gift to future generations of women in missions. The income produced from the fund will help women's mission organizational work in the U.S. and foreign fields. If anyone is interested in contributing to this fund, they may do so by contacting the WMU headquarters in Birmingham, Ala.

- B. *National Missions Prayer Plan* encourages us to sign a commitment card to pray daily for missions in order to establish a habit of missions praying.
- C. *National Acteens Convention* — July 12-15, 1989, San Antonio, Texas.
- D. *Caldwell Baptist Children's Homes* in Lenoir will have Dedication and Open House on June 4, 1989. The Dedication will be held at Lower Creek Baptist Church, 3:00 p.m.

The following were recognized for special achievements:

- A. Distinguished Church WMU for 1987-88: Clover (4 years), Crest View (2 years), Dry Ponds & Flemings Chapel (3 years), Lower Creek, Miller Hill, Mt. Zion and Temple Hill.
- B. Church Centennial Merit Recognition for 1987-88: Hartland, Lower Creek, Poovey's Chapel, and Temple Hill.
- C. Church Centennial for 1987-88 — Miller Hill.
- D. Distinguished Associational WMU: Caldwell 1987-88.
- E. Associational Centennial Recognition: Caldwell 1987-88. An expression of gratitude was given to Miss Elizabeth Campbell, our Associational Centennial Chairman, for her excellent service during our Centennial Year.

The promotional feature for the evening was led by Mrs. Anita Cabel, Associational Mission Friends Director.

Committee Reports:

A. *Resolutions Committee:*

1. We wish to thank God for His many blessings and for His guidance in the work of the Caldwell Baptist Association Woman's Missionary Union during the 1988-89 year.
2. We wish to acknowledge the 1988-89 emphasis "As You Go . . . Declare It!" We are grateful to those women who have used this theme as their personal motto during this year.
3. We wish to thank Temple Hill Baptist Church, their pastor, Rev. Hugh Kincaid, the WMU Director, Mrs. Linda Reid, and each WMU member of the church for their warm welcome and Christian hospitality.
4. We wish to commend Mary Suddreth and the WMU Council for their capable and faithful leadership throughout the year.
5. We wish to express our appreciation to the program participants, Max and Joan Furr, missionary speakers; Kim Smith, special music; Flemings Chapel WMU, Call to Prayer; and Anita Cable, Mission Friends promotional feature.
6. We wish to challenge each woman to accept her personal responsibility to share the love of Christ through the giving of her time, money, and prayers.

Respectfully submitted,
 Associational WMU Resolutions Com.
 Mary Lindsay, Chair. (FBC, Hudson)
 Theresa Annas (Mt. Zion)

B. *Time and Place Committee:*

The 1990 Annual WMU Session is scheduled to be at the Meadowbrook Baptist Church, Lenoir, NC, April 2, 1990.

The 1991 WMU Annual Session is scheduled to be at the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Sawmills, NC, April 1, 1991.

Mrs. Audrey Duncan, Chairperson
(Friendship)
Mrs. Louise Bowman (Dry Ponds)

C. *Nominating Committee:*

- Associational WMU Director Mrs. Mary Suddreth
- Associate WMU Director Mrs. Joann Propst
- Secretary/Treasurer Mrs. Lena Braswell
- Mission Action/Personal Witnessing Director Mrs. Mary Bentley
- Enlistment/Enlargement Director Mrs. Muriel Nanney
- Baptist Women's Director Mrs. Jan Lail
- Associate Baptist Women's Director Mrs. Blanche Reid
- Baptist Young Women's Director Mrs. Vicki Overcash
- Associate Baptist Young Women's Director Mrs. Glenda Lovins
- Acteens Director Mrs. Gwyn Warren
- Associate Acteens Director Mrs. Cheryl Wilson
- Girls In Action Director Mrs. Mildred Roberts
- Associate Girls In Action Director Mrs. Alma Helton
- Mission Friends Director Miss Martha White
- Associate Mission Friends Director Mrs. Becky Brown

Group Directors:

- Area 1 Mrs. Lillian Turnmire
- Area 2 Mrs. Debbie McLean
- Area 3 Mrs. Sue Ford
- Area 4 Mrs. Hazel Arnette
- Area 5 Mrs. Linda Reid
- Area 6 Miss Carole Church

Pianist: Mrs. Merle Chapman
Song Leader: Mrs. Marlene Alexander

Respectfully submitted,
1988-89 WMU Nominating Com.
Nancy Hines, Chair. (Central)
Delores Hawkins (Lakeview)
Carolyn Setzer (FBC, Whitnel)

1989-90 Associational WMU Nominating Committee:
Mrs. Delores Hawkins (Chairperson) 1 year
Mrs. Carolyn Setzer (2 years)
Mrs. Willie Mae Hege (3 years)

Reports were read and approved. Rev. Dale fisher led in a prayer of dedication and commitment of all officers. Mrs. Mary Suddreth led in Responsive Reading No. 42 "Concern for the Lost". Miss Smith led the congregation in singing "Bringing In the Sheaves", then Kim Smith from the Mountain Grove Church, blessed our hearts with her special music, "I Give You Jesus".

Our Missionary speakers were Max and Joan Furr, missionaries to Peru for 21 years. Joan used Psalm 66:8-9 as her test. She urged us to "Praise the Lord Always" for He holds our lives. They shared personal experiences with individuals while on

the mission field. Rev. Furr then showed slides of the Peruvian people. We are grateful to them for the work they have done in Peru, and our prayers are with them as they go to El Paso, Texas to work in the Baptist Publishing House.

Mrs. Tula Bumgarner led the closing prayer.

Respectfully,
Lena S. Braswell
Associational WMU Secretary/Treas.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION COUNCIL REPORT

Mrs. Mary Suddreth
Clover Baptist Church

"A Future to Fulfill — Launching Century 2" has been our W.M.U. Theme for the 1988-89 year. This has been an exciting year as W.M.U. has sought to strengthen missions in our churches by providing leadership training and fellowship for the women in our association. The following activities were held in our churches and associational office to help us fulfill our goals this year:

October 3, 1988 — We began our year with a W.M.U. Leadership Workshop held at the First Baptist Church of Rhodhiss. Representing 27 churches, there were 128 women who took advantage of this training event.

November 1 — A W.M.U. manual study was held at the Mt. Zion Church in Sawmills. A total of 63 persons attended the studies.

November 7 — Baptist Women World Day of Prayer was promoted throughout area churches.

November 14 — An Acteens Activity using the theme "Come As You Would Like to Be — 2000 A.D.", was held at the Clover Baptist Church, 85 were in attendance.

November 17 — Associational W.M.U. Council met at the Baptist Center at 6:00 p.m.

December 1 — "A B.Y.W. Christmas Get-Together" was hosted at the Temple Hill Church.

December 3-11 — Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions and Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

January 19, 1989 — Associational W.M.U. Council met at the Baptist Center at 6:00 p.m.

February 5 — The Associational W.M.U. sponsored a tea for missionaries Walter and Jacquelyn Ford who were scheduled to return to Kenya, Africa.

February 12-18 — Churches were encouraged to participate in W.M.U. Focus Week

February 16 — A B.W./B.Y.W. Prayer Retreat was held at the Meadowbrook Baptist Church in Lenoir, Roger and Roseann Childers, missionaries to Zimbabwe, were our guest speakers. Fifty-five were present for this meeting.

March 5-12 — Week of Prayer for Home Missions and Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

March 16 — Associational W.M.U. Council met at the Baptist Center at 6:00 p.m.

March 21 — W.M.U. Enlistment/Enlargement meeting hosted by FBC, Hudson at 5:30 p.m.

March 31-April 1 — Fifty-six Caldwell W.M.U. ladies and four Elkin W.M.U. ladies attended the State W.M.U. Annual Meeting in Fayetteville. A special thanks to Joanne Propst for arranging this for us.

April 8 — A Mission Friends Manual Study was led by Anita Cable at the Baptist Center.

April 10 — The Seventy-Sixth Annual Session of the Caldwell Baptist Association W.M.U. met at the Temple Hill Baptist Church in Granite Falls. Our theme was "As you go . . . Declare It!". A total of 113 persons registered. Former missionaries to Peru, Max and Joan Furr, were our guest speakers.

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- April 24 — A G.A. Rally was held at the College Avenue Church in Lenoir. There were 260 in attendance. Mrs. Faye Fincannon, former missionary to the Philippines was our guest speaker.
- May 15 — Friendship Baptist Church in Hudson hosted our annual Baptist Young Women's Banquet. Approximately 89 persons attended. Miss Lauri Burgess, journeyman to Togo, shared her personal experiences with us.
- May 23 — Mrs. Donna Lail, Baptist Children's Home Representative, was guest speaker for an Acteens Activity held at the Central Baptist Church in Whitnel. Approximately sixty persons attended.
- June 3 — A G.A. Day Camp was held at the Mt. Carmel Baptist Church, Hudson with 123 in attendance. Mr. Brian Pennell, son of Wayne and Elinor Pennell, our missionaries to Indonesia, was the guest speaker.
- June 4 — Caldwell Associational W.M.U. helped sponsor the Open House for the new Baptist Children's Homes in Lenoir. Area churches were very gracious with their help in providing refreshments for this event.
- June 8 — Associational W.M.U. Council met at the Baptist Center at 6:00 p.m.
- July 6 — Mary Suddreth, Associational W.M.U. Director, represented Caldwell Association at W.M.U. Week at Ridgecrest.
- July 9 — A tea for missionaries Tom and Mary Small was held at the Baptist Center. The Smalls were preparing to return to Zimibabwe, Africa.
- July 11-15 — Acteens from the First Baptist Church of Granite Falls and the Clover Baptist Church in Granite Falls represented Caldwell Association at the National Acteens Convention in San Antonio, Texas.
- July 22 & 29 — Fifteen Associational W.M.U. Officers took advantage of overnight leadership training at W.M.U. Workshops at Fruitland and Caraway.
- August 7 — Mt. Zion Church was the host for a Baptist Women Witnessing Workshop. Approximately forty-four persons were present. Miss Suthell Walker, former home missionary, and North Carolina B.W. Director was the guest speaker.
- August 19 — A G.A. Missions Fair was held at the Hudson First Baptist Church. Miss Sheila Black, home missionary from Charlotte, provided the special message. There were 104 in attendance.
- September 21 — The Associational W.M.U. Council met at the Baptist Center at 6:00 p.m. Detailed plans were made for our upcoming W.M.U. Leadership Conference on October 2. Also, the council voted to sponsor the following mission action projects:
1. The Marguerite Noel Home and the Care Home — each church W.M.U. is encouraged to contact Mary Bentley if they would like to sponsor a month at one or both of these homes.
 2. The N.C. Correctional Institute for Women and Raleigh Correctional Center for Women Christmas list — money is needed to purchase Christmas gifts for the mothers in prison to give to their children at Christmas. Also money is needed to buy personal items. This will be coordinated through our State W.M.U. Office. Contact person for our association is Mary Bentley (758-4076).
 3. The Volunteer Services Department at Broughton Hospital, Morganton, NC has requested our help with Operation Santa Claus. Our Associational W.M.U. will work with our Associational Missions Development Council on this project. Contact person is Joann Propst (396-3450).

Respectfully submitted,
 Mary Suddreth, Director
 W.M.U. Council

W.M.U. FINANCIAL REPORT

October 1, 1988 — September 30, 1989

Balance brought forward 9-30-88	\$823.78
Receipts:	
Caldwell Baptist Association	\$1,000.00
Baptist Young Women Banquet	286.50
Girls in Action	163.50
Reimburse. for WMU Workshop	236.00
Missionary Love Gifts	298.00
Total Receipts	<u>1,984.00</u>
Grand Total	<u>\$2,807.78</u>
Expenses:	
W.M.U. Workshop	\$320.00
Missionary Love Gifts	298.00
Memorials	108.25
Travel Expense	190.10
Baptist Women	72.50
Baptist Young Women	366.10
Acteens	149.28
Girls in Action	362.76
Mission Friends	2.50
Total Expenses	<u>\$2,198.21</u>
Balance on Hand 9-30-89	<u>\$609.57</u>
Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund	\$4,541.96

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION SPECIAL ANNIVERSARIES REPORT

Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell
First Baptist Church of Lenoir

CALDWELL ASSOCIATIONAL WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION
75th ANNIVERSARY AND SBC WMU 100th
MARCH 28, 1988, 6:45 P.M., FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, LENOIR, NC

Amidst some 30 flags, 28 of which the women of the churches with WMU's had made during the four years of centennial for NC and SBC Woman's Missionary Union and this year the 75th Anniversary of the Caldwell WMU. The meeting was held at the First Baptist Church, Lenoir where Caldwell had its first organization in 1899, but became an official organization September 1913 when the 29th Annual Session was held at Lenoir First, and the women met at the Episcopal Church to organize our Associational WMU.

Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell, centennial chairman for the association, planned the celebration and presented the first part March 28, 1988 at 6:45 p.m.

Those carrying the flags, country and church represented are as follows: FIRST ROW: Verna Brookshire, Granite Falls, First, Honduras; Hazel Arnette, Whitnel First,

Japan; Nelda Robbins, Zacks Fork, Nigeria; Anita Cable, Miller Hill, Surinam; Pam Estes, Lower Creek, Ivory Coast; Kathy Woods, Union, Yemen; Bessie Far, Friendship, Jordan; Dora Lee Caudle, Shitnel First, Israel; Delores Hawkins, Lakeview, Thiland; SECOND ROW: Theresa Annas, Mt. Zion, Bahamas; Linda DeMauro, Nelsons Chapel, Columbia; Patty Greene, Nelsons Chapel, Chile; Ruby Thompson, Lower Creek, Ethiopia; Dianne Safford, Baton, Ghana; Patsy Reid, Oak Grove, Benin; Olivia Haynes, Flemings Chapel, Bangladesh; Lucille Singley, Mountain View, Italy; Bertha Harrison, Oak Grove, West Germany; Lillian Turnmire, Meadowbrook, West Germany; Siirley Sides, Hartland, Greece; THIRD ROW: Vicki Overcash, Temple Hill, Trinidad; Mary Bean, Hudson First, Rwanda; Virginia Hollar, Clover, Switzerland; Mozelle White, Oak Grove, Morocco; Leona Smith, Hudson First, Niger Republic; Edith Laws, Hudson First, Guadeloupe. Jan Lail, Flemings jChapel and Baptist Women's Director, had identified each flag, also was resonsible for the Caldwell WMU Assoc. banner, which had the praying hands in the center, along with Caldwell Associational WMU at top and our motto for the centennial at the bottom "*A Century To Celebrate — A Future To Fulfill.*" This banner was hung in front of the pulpit stand. Miss Campbell, who represented the Caldwell Association at the 100th Celebration in Richmond, Virginia carried this in the parade on Saturday afternoon, May 14th at the 2:30 section of the program. (She heard that section was shown on the Richmond News at 6:30 p.m. that evening.) Two 100th Anniv. stands "You're the Reason" was used in the front of the auditorium. Which Belk's shared with us from their 100th Anniv. To have done what Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association has done in missions through the years has taken a lot of promotion and cooperation, and Miss Campbell presented the following to show our cooperation in missions.

Beginning with front row: Mrs. Fay Tunmire Fincannon, Dry Ponds and Mt. Zion, missionary to the Philippines for 19½ years; Rev. and Mrs. (Lois) R.B. Burnett, Whitnel First (He had just turned 90 years and received his new drivers license), parents of Mrs. Tom (Mary) Small of Zambia, represented parents of missionaries; Dr. Billy Rivers, Hudson, First Pastor and Moderator of the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association holding the poster "Partners in Missions"; the Rev. Don Rogers, Assoc. Minister, and the Rev. Don Flowers, Youth Minister, along with Mrs. Betty Carter nad Mrs. Vonnie Harris, co-WMU Directors and Mrs. Pat Annas, Centennial Director, First Baptist, Lenoir, Mrs. Annas, along with the Baptist women of F.B. were responsible for the reception just following the service.

Just behind the pulpit was Dr. Bob Evans, Granite Falls First, pastor, where the second organization came into being, and who led in the opening prayer; Miss Campbell, FBC Lenoir; Rev. Robert Livingston, pastor, Yadkin Baptist Church and chairman of the Associational Missions Committee, who held the Bible. Bible study and prayer have been significant parts of the WMU work. Next to him Miss Stella Austin, Kings Creek, Retired Missionary from Nigeria; Mrs. Lena Braswell, Hudson First, wife of deceased D.O.M. Worth Braswell, and WMU Council Secretary; jsut back of Mrs. Braswell, Rev. Dale Fisher, Mt. Zion, Assoc. D.O.M. Director, holding the Brazilian flag. We have become partners in the work in Brazil with Mrs. Craige (Ellen Barlowe) Steele of Lower Creek and her husband in Sao Paulo, Brazil; Sherrill German, Yadkin Music Director, who went to Togo on mission, when we were partners with them, is holding the Togo flag, made by Mrs. Beef (Ruth) Johnson, FBC Lenoir from the first organization in the county; Mrs. J. D. (Ruth Keller) Craig, Poovey's Grove and Buffalo Cove, a pastor's wife, former Caldwell Assoc. missionary, and NC field worker for WMU is holding the Caldwell Assoc. flag; beside her is her sister, Mrs. Luther (Pearl Keller) Hawkins, wife of deceased pastor Luther Hawkins, who

went to West Virginia many times when we were partners with them, and their church, Pooveys Grove, was among the first churches to share in this work from our assoc., altho many churches have done so during the time we were partners. To the far left Miss Maxine Bumgarner, Temple Hill, but now director of the WMU for West Va. and special guest; Joann Propst, Rhodhiss First, the WMU association director, held the Christian Flag; Miss Ella Keller, Pooveys Grove and Granite Falls, First, retired worker with the Home Mission Board of Atlanta, GA; holding the American Flag was Larry Helderman, Hudson First, Caldwell Associational Brotherhood director.

We hoped that this helped the some 240 present at the meeting to see how the Caldwell Association had truly *been partners in mission*.

PRAYER BY DR. ROBERT EVANS, PASTOR, FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH,
GRANITE FALLS, NC — WHERE THE SECOND WMU ORGANIZATION
WAS BORN

We thank you for the mission emphasis through this organization. We thank you for the mission emphasis that they bring to our lives. We pray that you would bless them not only this night as we celebrate this One Hundredth Anniversary. We pray that you would bless in the future for we know that the fields are still white unto harvest and the laborers are few. We pray as we lift up our eyes unto those hills we will pray to the Lord of the harvest that he will send forth laborers. We pray that young people will accept the call and the challenge and go forth and tell the world about Jesus. Bless in this service tonight, bring honor to your name, remind us of our heritage, and challenge us in the future that we might be empowered by your spirit, for Jesus sake we pray. Amen.

PRAYER BY MISS STELLA AUSTIN, KINGS CREEK, RETIRED
MISSIONARY TO NIGERIA, AFTER READING THE NAMES OF
THE PRAYER CALENDAR FOR THE DAY — MARCH 28th

Lord, how grateful we are for these who have been called to witness for these in the homeland and across the world. We thank you for their lives. We thank Thee for what they have done for Thee in the past in witnessing for Thee, in sharing Thy love in their fields of responsibility, and we lift them up to Thee now, praying that Thou would give to them the health and the strength that they need for their work. We pray that you will protect them from the dangers around them and that you will give them a special sense of Thy peace and Thy presence and they do Thy work. We pray for courage for them as they face difficulties in their places of service, and we pray that Thou will give them faith and Thou wilt lead them and direct them in the service that they render for Thee. We pray that Thou will give them encouragement when they are discouraged, and Thou will give them a special portion of Thy love for the people with whom they work for sometimes it is difficult for them to love those round about them. So we pray that they will have Thy love to share in their sphere of ministry. We pray for wisdom for them in their service. Help them to discern Thy will, because it is difficult sometimes for them to know Thy will. And so we pray for them that they may know Thy will, and that they might have guidance in any decisions that they make. We pray that Thou wilt be with them in a special way today. We pray that it might have been a happy day for them, and that the remainder of the day will be happy as they celebrate with family and friends. We commend them to Thy love and Thy care and we thank Thee again for their lives and for what they mean to Thy kingdom's work and for all those who are won to Thee through their lives and their service, and given them a sense of Thy presence, and we pray all this in Jesus name. Amen.

Joann Propst presided over the rest of the meeting with Mrs. Marlene Alexander, Temple Hill, serving as music director in the place of Mrs. Nora Annas, Rhodhiss First, who had been so faithful with our music for so many years, but could not be

present due to illness in the family; Miss Sherrie Austin, Hudson First, pianist; Todd Estes, Lower Creek, trumpet. Todd is the grandson of Mrs. Propst, and Pam Estes, who carried the Ivory Coast flag, is her daughter.

The meeting was opened with the congregation singing "Share His Love," Miss Stella Austin gave the "Call to Prayer," remembering those missionaries who had birthdays on March 28th.

Miss Betty Carter of Lenoir First (where the first organization was held with Mrs. B. H. Dula, president and Mrs. Grover Triplett, Sunbeam leader) is coming with our welcome — Betty.

WELCOME BY BETTY CARTER, FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, LENOIR, NC

It won't take but just a minute for me to extend to you on this important night a welcome. We are indeed happy to have you here on this special occasion. We thank you for coming and being a part of this celebration. Vonnice Harris is my co-worker and Pat Annas is our First Baptist WMU Centennial Chairman.

It took a lot of time for Miss Campbell and others to put this program together tonight, and we want to thank them and Joann Propst, our Associational WMU Director. We are happy to have a reception for you in the ladies parlor, just back of this sanctuary on my right. We have opened some of the classrooms beside the parlor to show some of your centennial work. We hope that you will stay for the reception and thank you again for being a part of this special meeting at First Baptist Church, Lenoir.

Guests were recognized at this time, which included laymen, pastors, directors of missions and those on program.

RECOGNITION FOR SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENTS: Caldwell Associational WMU distinguished 1986-87; churches recognized as distinguished were Clover (3), Crest View, Dudley Shoals, Flemings Chapel (2), FBC Hudson (3), Miller Hill (6), FBC Rhodhiss, Temple Hill (6). Standard — Baton.

At the resolution committee consisting of Elsie Dean Angley, Clarks Chapel; Patty Coffey, Pooveys Chapel and Winifred Thurkill, FBC Hudson, who presented the report, which will be included in the minutes, **THE TIME AND PLACE COMMITTEE** consisting of Linda DeMauro, Nelson's Chapel, Leslie Smith, Union and Kit Curtis, Meadowbrook, who presented the report. **THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE**, consisting of Nancy Hines, Central, Delores Hawkins, Lakeview and Coleen Coffey, Pooveys Chapel, who presented the following officers: Mary Suddreth, Clover, WMU Director; Joann Propst, Rhodhiss, Associate WMU Director; Lena Braswell, FBC Hudson, Secretary/Treasurer; Jain Lail, Flemings Chapel, Baptist Women's Director; Blanche Reid, Union, Associate; Susan Denning, Friendship, BYW Director; Vicki Overcash, Temple Hill, Associate; Marlene Alexander, Temple Hill, Acteens Director; Cheryl Wilson, Mt. Zion, Associate; Mildred Roberts, G.A. Director and Alma Helton, Sudley Shoals, Associate; Anita Cable, Miller Hill, Mission Friends Director and Vicki Coffey, Hartland, Associate; Muriel Nanny, FBC Hudson, Enlistment/Enlargement Director; Mrs. Tula Bumgarner, Mt. Carmel, Mission Action/Personal Witnessing Director; Area Directors: 1. Lillian Turnmire, Meadowbrook; 2. Debbie McLean, Piney Grove; 3. Barbara Kaylor, FBC Whitnel; 4. Mrs. Hazel Arnette, FBC Whitnel; 5. Mrs. Coleen Coffey, Pooveys Chapel; 6. Carole Church, Clover. After the election of officers, Rev. Dale Fisher, Mt. Zion, D.O.M. led in a prayer of dedication, which did not get recorded.

The Centennial celebration included the beginning of the program with our "Partners in Missions", a prayer by the Dr. Robert Evans, pastor, First Baptist Church, and the prayer calendar led by Miss Stella Austin, Kings Creek, retired missionary to Nigeria, Africa. After the business it concluded with the following:

The congregation sang "I'll Be A Sunbeam." *Jesus wants me for a sunbeam, to shine for Him each day, in ev-'ry way try to please Him, at home, at school, at play. (Chorus) — A sunbeam, a sunbeam, Jesus wants me for a sunbeam; a sunbeam, a sunbeam, I'll be a sunbeam for Him. A-men.* (Taken from Misisonary Melodies, page 44) Nellie Talbot—E.O. Excell.

A CENTURY TO CELEBRATE — A FUTURE TO FULFILL — 1988 — 1988

Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell, FBC Lenoir, and former Caldwell Associational Director of Missions spoke on CALLED TO ACT IN FORMING NEW ORGANIZATIONS. September 1913 the 29th Annual Session of the Association was held at FBC, Lenoir. One of the most significant things that happened at this meeting was the organization of the Associational Woman's Missionary Union. So goes the beginning history. "Women were dismissed from the general meeting of the Annual Caldwell Baptist Association and met in the nearby Episcopal church with Mrs. J. A. Boldin, presiding, and Mrs. W. S. Covington acting as temporary secretary. Fifty women from 7 churches were recognized: Blairs Fork 2, Green Valley 1, Kings Creek 6, Lower Creek 10, Lenoir First 23, Lenoir Second (College Ave.) 1, Whitnel 2, along with visitors from other denominations and from other associations.

As a result of much prayer and planning and through the influence, inspiration and help of Miss Blanche Sydnor White of Raleigh, corresponding secretary of the N.C. WMU and Mrs. J. W. Garvey, North Wilkesboro, Supt. of the Brushy Mtn. WMU, there came into being an organization which was weak in number but strong in purpose: Its ultimate aim being "A missionary society in every church and every woman a member, all studying about, praying for and giving to missions, and in the meantime, teaching the children and training young people for more efficient service in the Master's Kingdom." We have the same purpose today.

The following officers were elected: Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Lower Creek, President; Miss Cora Greer, Grandin, Assist. President; Mrs. B. H. Dula, Lenoir First, Secretary/Treasurer. Other early leaders were Mrs. C. L. Wilson, Mrs. O. L. Grice, Mrs. J. W. Whisnant, Mrs. Grover Triplett, Lenoir First and Mrs. Hill Swanson, Lower Creek, Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Dudley Shoals, and we could name many more.

For many years the minutes of the WMU Annual Meeting were paid for by the women to have them recorded in the Annual Minutes of the Caldwell Association. Of course, this is not true today. Mrs. Boldin brought her first report to the association in 1913.

It seems that when our second organization in a church was formed that the Rev. I. W. Thomas lived in Statesville, and he was holding a revival at the First Baptist Church of Granite Falls. Mrs. J. A. Boldin rode on a train to Granite Falls, and Rev. Thomas had his wife to come to Granite Falls by train and together they organized the Second Missionary Society in the county. Mrs. Thomas stayed over and the next day Rev. and Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Boldin met with the women at Lower Creek and organized our third organization. *And so it began and the missionary fervor in the Caldwell Baptist Association has never ceased. We have had great leaders and they were willing to go and to encourage missions every opportunity they had.*

Mrs. J. D. (Ruth Keller) Craig, our first Associational Missionary during this particular era of N.C. Missions (because we had Associational Missionary/Pastors in 1885 when we organized our association.) traveled by foot much of the time and she never missed an opportunity in whose home or church she was in to remind them of the importance of sharing the mission message, and when she went to become N.C. Field Worker for W.M.U. around 1944 there were 19 churches in the Caldwell Assoc. who had such a program, along with Sunbeams.

The Lord led me here June 1, 1944, and it was during the time of the Polio epidemic, when we could not have Vacation Bible Schools with the children and other meetings, and so the association felt it would be good for me to spend as much time at Ridgecrest as possible in leadership training, and this I did for about 5 weeks. Now I can see how God was in all of this beginning and especially the training. Yes, I had finished at Southwestern Seminary and came directly here to work, but I needed that freshness in KNOWHOW of going into the churches and reaching people for the Lord Jesus Christ and challenging them. I had read that Fannie E. S. Heck had said "Give us the children of today for missions and we will win the world tomorrow for Christ." I believed this and so in every V.B.S. we learned about missions, about the Cooperative Program, and as churches became interested in having mission studies, and taking up a *Lottie Moon Christmas offering*, and *Annie Armstrong Easter Offering and State Missions*, etc. *they became interested in organizing the women and children — both boys and girls*. As we got pastors who were interested in missions, they would encourage organization, and today Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association WMU would not be what it is had it not been for the Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Jones of Lower Creek, and every Superintendent/Director that we have had. The churches began organizing, taking training, having mission studies and during my years as D.O.M. I tried to teach 1500 mission studies, besides sharing my mission trips with the churches. The G.A.'s began working on forward steps and becoming queens in recognition services, because the churches and people were working together in missions. Many of the ones who became foreign missionaries helped me in Vacation Bible Schools and other activities in the Association and they, too, became more mission minded and sought God's will for their lives.

The first Lottie Moon Christmas offering recorded in the minutes of our Association was in 1944 in the amount of \$629.99, and when I retired it was \$124,127 and last year (1987) over \$225,000, because our people are involved in missions and being informed of all the missions we support, including local, associational, state, home and foreign.

When I retired in 1980 we had some form of WMU work in 59 of our churches: The minutes showed 206 organizations in all — 40 Mission Friends, 43 Girls in Action, 37 Acteens, 19 Baptist Young Women, 52 Baptist Women, and Caldwell Association had sent out more missionaries including US-2er, Journeyman, and Career Missionaries, than any other association in NC — Why and How? *God had led, the people cooperated and wanted to share in giving the Gospel to the world.*

It was not easy, I remember I went into one church and they gave me an opportunity to speak and I tried to say something about cooperation. When I sat down, someone got up immediately and said "I don't believe in cooperation." The Lord had given me just the previous week the opportunity to go through one of the Broyhill factories, and I could not believe how many people it took to put a chair or another piece of furniture together, and so I got up again and responded by asking the question (because most of our people worked in furniture factories), "How much furniture would go out of Lenoir if all that was done to it was what you did?" Then, I paused and I said "*That is cooperation and that is what we need under the leadership of God's Holy Spirit today in our churches.*" Just before the crucifixion during Jesus' Gethsamane experience it says "and he went a little farther into the garden to pray," and our salvation became secure because he was willing to go to the cross, arise again and before going back to the Father say to us in Acts 1:8, which I am going to ask us to quote together. "*But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Spirit is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the Earth.*"

This is the challenge of WMU in the Caldwell Association. So be it as we work together "That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in Heaven, and things in the Earth, and things under the Earth: and that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father." Philippians 2:10-11

All of this came about because we were working together under His Holy Spirit and for the glory of God's Kingdom in the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association.

MRS. J. D. (RUTH KELLER) CRAIG'S MESSAGE

Mrs. Ruth Keller Craig, raised in the Pooveys Grove Church, but now serving as pastor's wife of the Buffalo Cove Baptist Church, was introduced to speak on *Called to Act as a State WMU Field Worker in North Carolina*. Ruth had, also, served as a former Caldwell Associational Missionary.

I think it is about time for Joann to be given a hug and while I do this I want you to clap your hands. When I was here Joann was a Sunbeam swishing onto her mother's skirttail, and just look what a wonderful leader she has become. Leaders don't be discouraged for just look what she has become. We can see the hand of God in all the affairs of our personal lives and all of the organizations, and this makes these meetings so wonderful.

I remember so distinctly my call to field work. I was a barefooted, skinny girl out in the field on the farm down the road here at Granite Falls. My daddy was cutting wheat and my mother was binging wheat, and I was picking up the wheatheads. My daddy stopped and looked at me and put down his cutter and said "Ruth, you will be a grainer but it will be a grainer of souls." and that day a light came upon me and I never will forget it. God was putting his hand on me. Well, my pastor said "Why don't you be a state worker," and my pastor at Mars Hill College said "We are praying that God will call you to be a foreign missionary." Well, I felt like God wanted to use me, but I didn't know exactly for what, but I started preparing. I went to the WMU Training School in Louisville, and to Georgetown College in Kentucky. After I got all things ready then I couldn't go as a missionary because my health was bad. I had pernicious anemia. Mr. Grover Teague, moderator of the Caldwell Baptist Association said "We need you over here in Caldwell. Come over and help us," and so I came and I am the forerunner of Elizabeth. She came along after I had rubbed a little of the rocks out and got the spiderwebs out of the paths and loved the people. Mr. Huggins told me to go out there and sell the program to the people. There was no organizations. I loved the people, went to their homes and slept in the homes with the families, and I loved them and they were wonderful. The Lord was wanting the organization genius of Elizabeth Campbell for this position and he was wanting a worker in N.C. so Mary Currin said "We need some help in WMU work, will you come?" I said, "Sure, I'll be there." So from Pooveys Grove to Globe I went to Raleigh and it was from Manteo to Murphey. This was my new beat. The people in the office were Mary Currin, executive director, Kathryn Abee, young people's director and Mrs. Farmer, there at headquarters. I had met most of them before because they had used me in enlargement campaigns, and it was wonderful. Of course, Mary and Kathryn were in love and fixing to get married and they needed me to take up the flack. Mrs. Farmer, a retired missionary from Japan and a wonderful person, helped to show me the ropes. They indoctrinated me, even down to stuffing the envelopes that went to the associations. Then I cut my teeth in the work attending associational and state meetings and sat all day long to hear reports from Assoc. Superintendents and other officers, dinner on the ground, executive secretary and missionary speaker, conference in the afternoon. I hated them because I was afraid I would not be able to answer all the questions. But Mrs. Farmer would say "Here's Ruth, she'll do anything you

ask her to," and I learned not to say no. She got me a little card and the manes of all the associational directors. I started branching out into all the churches all over the state. It was so wonderful. And you know after you have accepted the Lord, the Lord would help you do things you thought you couldn't do, but the Holy Spirit was leading all this time. I branched out to other things: devotions, G.A. camps, substitute for other workers, and one Sunday was called on to speak to a group of children and I wondered what I would talk about and I used a song that was popular at that time "Don't Fence Me In," and started out with those G.A. mottoes and so it went over.

We traveled on buses. Nancy Curtis drives a car and she is not afraid, but I traveled on buses. I liked it because I could be still and because I would witness to other people. I was never satisfied just to be a person that taught methods. I wanted to do something that was really worthwhile. I knew methods were important, but I wanted to do something else. Sometimes I rode all night on a train and one night I talked with a Catholic Priest all night towards Waynesville. I got to find out what they thought about and what they did. I said, "What are you going up to the western part of the state for?" He said, "To do mission work." I asked him about his missions and he said, "Well, we have bingo parties up here in the churches." I said something about getting a sandwich to eat. He said "I can't eat tonight because I have to have a service in the morning before dinner, but he could play bingo in the church, that sort of thing happened at that time.

When I got into the work a little more they sent me out one full summer as a field worker, out in the churches in a different association each week. I tried to organize or anything they would ask me to do. One night I want to tell you about. I was staying at the same place each night and the hostess took me out to this little church, and she said "Do you want me to come back for you?" I said, "No, if no one asks me to spend the night with them I will sleep on a church bench," and so she left. It started getting dark and it started raining and nobody had come. I hunted me a bench in the church and just about that time Sally walked in and we talked awhile. No one else came. It was raining and completely dark and I said "Let's get down on our knees and pray so that the Devil won't get the best of this meeting tonight," and so we got on our knees and prayed. She said "You can go home with me," and so we started, up and out and around and around we walked and I thought that we would never get there, and I was really afraid because I did not know what kind of a home it was, but I heard footsteps and I said "Sally, I hear footsteps," but she said "I don't", but I did and for a real time I felt the presence of the Lord was there with me. We reached the house and there was a little fat young mother and a lean grandfather. We had a nice time talking and then the little grandfather said "Sally, get the Bible," Sally brought the Bible. He started reading and I have never heard it read so beautifully as he read it. Then he said, "Let's pray." Everybody got down on their knees to pray. He started praying, and the power of the Lord came down. I've never in my life heard such a prayer. He prayed just a few minutes, but he circled the world with his prayers and now he said, "I pray for the stranger in our gates" and then he finished his prayer and went to bed. The old grandmother then said "I'm not worth anything." She had read from 1st Corinthians the first chapter and she could not find anything about her talents, then she went on to 1 Corinthians 13 *and she saw the world loove and she just encircled me with her love.* I slept on a couch that night and the next morning we went to the church and organized. I felt something had happened there that day and a few years later I saw Sally's name on the Home Mission Board Prayer Calendar, and so I want to say to us tonight what Paul said "I planted, Appolos waters, but God gave the increase." So it is not he that plantieth anything, but God that giveth the increase. *And*

now my mission field in the whole world. Through WMU we have done it all. You can put your finger on the pulse of the whole world, through your giving. You can help with every project that we have with your gifts. Through your prayers we can embrace the whole world with the love of Christ. Missions is our mission, missions is my lifestyle.

(She did not say this, but by this time the love bug had bit her.) When we got married we dedicated our home to missions, when our children were born we dedicated our children to missions, when our grandchildren came along — 7 of them — we dedicated our grandchildren to missions. I guess when I was in the state work I gave a message on our Watchword “We are laborers together with God” a hundred times, and tonight let me repeat it “We’re laborers together with God,” with Annie Armstrong, Lottie Moon, Fannie E.S. Heck, Nancy Curtis and to all of you “We are laborers together with God” and we are not doing it for our benefit, but we are doing it because we love God, and because he has called us into his marvelous service. I pray God’s blessings on each of you as “Laborers together with God.”

The congregation then sang the WMU Centennial Hymn.

MISS MAXINE BUMGARNER, WEST VIRGINIA’S
WMU EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Miss Maxine Bumgarner was then introduced. She had been raised in Caldwell county and attended Temple Hill Baptist Church and had also worked in the N.C. and Virginia State WMU offices. She spoke on *Called to Act and West Virginia’s WMU Executive Secretary*.

This is her message as she sent it to me: Greetings: It good to be home. Home means where you grow. It means seeing family and friends. That’s what this weekend has been for me. I’ve visited with my mom and sister. I look forward to visiting with my Temple Hill family tonight. I also look forward to renewing some friendships. Home is where my journey began. Therefore, I check my root systems, I want to say thank you. Thank you for nurturing me, giving me my first chance to grow and to develop leadership skills, for supporting me and for the work you have done in West Virginia.

TESTIMONY

- A. Did not grow up in a Christian home.
- B. Influenced by high school friends who showed me Jesus could make a difference in one’s life.
- C. Two friends accepted Christ, told me what happened to them, their looks and behavior changed.
- D. Another friend invited me to her birthday party and I met a handsome fellow. He was sooo nice, the nicest guy I had ever met. My heart went pitty-pat, I was in love. When I asked my birthday friend to tell me all about Sam, she replied, “Oh, you don’t want to know him, he’s going to go to seminary to be a preacher.” At that point, I decided that it might not be bad to marry a preacher so he could make me GOOD. Nothing happened. I never heard of Sam again after that night.
- E. After being under conviction for a year, I finally went to Temple Hill Church during revival and waited for them to tell me how to be saved. I sat in the back of the church, next to the last row on the right. When the invitation was given, something happened from the time I left my seat until I knelt at the front. God cleansed me.
- F. I was a new Christian with no church background. And soon felt that God had something special for me to do. But I did not know how to find it. I knew nothing about missions except that there were FOREIGN MISSIONARIES who were preachers, teachers and medical personnel. I knew this was true because I began

to meet Caldwell missionaries: Stella Austin, Fay Tunmire, the Wayne Penells, and the John McGee family (not from Caldwell). I did not know there were home missionaries and now I am one, sorta — The home mission board considered me employed missions personnel. That means they help pay my salary, expect the same kind of commitment from me as appointed personnel, but refuse to pray for me on my birthday. I would like to enlist you to do that for me; my birthday is October 28.

- G. As I tried to find what God wanted me to do, I went about in a very logical way. I had never seen or heard of a woman preacher; therefore, God was not calling me to be a preacher, it had to be a missionary call.
- H. Since I knew that missionaries were preachers, teachers, medical staff, I began to make decisions; preacher was out, medical missions was not a possibility because God was in the healing not killing business; therefore, a teaching ministry was the only logical and acceptable area of service.
- I. I had no idea how to become involved in missions though, so while here/home, I grew as a Christian and began leadership development in my church, Temple Hill, and in the association through opportunities provided by Miss Campbell, our associational missionary. I'm not sure how she discovered me nor why she chose to take me under her wing, and nurture me, but I'm eternally grateful that she did.
- J. After I decided God really was calling me to be in special service and I had logically decided how he could use me, I enrolled in college. After college, I was employed by the First Baptist Church of Hickory as Educational Secretary. And, to this day, I have not figured out why or how because I had absolutely no secretarial skills. For example, when the minister of education would give me a list of people to call, I would carefully dial the phone numbers, praying, "Please God, don't let anyone answer." You can agree with me, I'M SURE THAT IT HAD TO BE GOD'S WILL for me to work at First Baptist.
- K. Now is confession time. When the opportunity came for me to serve as secretary in the WMU office in Raleigh, I thought God had flipped! I didn't know anything about WMU. I went to Raleigh, though, because I was convinced it was God's will for me. I wanted to be a good employee and loyal to my employer. So, I studied the materials and joined Baptist Women. (I didn't like Baptist Young Women because all the BYWs in my church were married and I didn't feel I could 'fit in'). Surprise of all surprised — WMU WAS missions! There WAS more than foreign missions. Working for North Carolina WMU and bring involved in Baptist Women, I learned to

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I also served as an associational Acteens Director, learning associational work better as well as learning what happens to make a state WMU office function.

It was my working experience with North Carolina Woman's Missionary Union that helped me to decide on a missions career through Woman's Missionary Union. I set some goals: 1) go to seminary; 2) serve as a Baptist Women Director for 10 to 15 years. Today, serving as State WMU Director, I have responsibility for all age levels.

Today, I want to be sure our youth have a missions education so they can begin

their journey through missions earlier than I. I want to see women challenged to a missions life-style and commitment.

The joy of serving in West Virginia is seeing women catch the missions vision and live it out with commitment. Example: Judy, volunteer BYW Director became the leader of our council. Ann, came to leadership training session — but never heard of Baptist Women, but because excited about missions, started Baptist Women in her church and became the Associational Director. This year already she has started WMU in 2 churches. She seems to hunger and thirst after knowledge and opportunities to serve through Woman's Missionary Union.

Another joy is Isaban — had almost as many lost women in their Baptist Women as saved women. Today all are Christians and have been baptized into the membership of the church; some of the husbands have also been saved.

Another joy is Arnoldsburg, a group of five Baptist women and one Acteen held the little church/mission together for 2 years until they found a pastor.

The greatest joy is knowing Jesus and knowing that he always knows that he is doing.

A special recognition plaque was presented to Eula Maxine Bumgarner by the Temple Hill Baptist Church and Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell on behalf of the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association WMU. On it was the symbols — Caldwell Co. & Association, N.C. and S.B.C. and the following wording: The Caldwell Missionary Baptist Associational W.M.U. in appreciation of your work in our association, of your work with the N.C. State W.M.U. and now having gone out as the West Virginia State W.M.U. Director, present this plaque at the Caldwell Associational W.M.U. 75th Anniversary and the Southern Baptist W.M.U. 100th Anniversary.

(It was in the original program for Mrs. Raymond Reavis, 50th Anniversary Supt., to have a prayer of dedication and thanksgiving, but for some reason it was left off the program. She was going to express to God our appreciation and love for her and her accomplishments, and to let her know how proud we were that God was using her in such a special place as West Virginia, where so many churches in our association had a part in their mission work.)

Those sharing in the presentation were Mrs. Bertha Reavis, 50th Anniversary Supt., Miss Nancy Curtis, State W.M.U. Executive Director, Mrs. Linda Reid, Temple Hill Baptist Church, W.M.U. Director, Mrs. Joann Propse, Assoc. W.M.U. Director and Miss Campbell, Caldwell Associational W.M.U. Centennial Director, who presented same. (This was a complete surprise to Maxine.) Maxine in the picture is standing behind the cross.

Mrs. Vergie K. Sorrells, from the Flemings Chapel Baptist Church and former missionary to Brazil was to have done the special music, but had to cancel right at the last minute due to illness. She is a musician in her own right and had led us in some of her work one year when she and Wayne Sorrells were on furlough.

Todd Anthony Estes played the trumpet, with Sherri Austin, accompanying on the piano for the special music, including "O Zion Haste" and "Share His Love". Mrs. Lin (Faye Tunmire) Fincannon of Dry Ponds and Mt. Zion was introduced and spoke on *Called to Act as Missionary in the Philippines*. She used as scripture Psalms 32:8, and Psalms 37:35.

Oh! How delighted I am to be here and see each of you! Thanks for this opportunity. Now my request is that the Lord will help me to share 19 wonderful years in the Philippines with you in 15 minutes.

Thanks to many of you who have been my prayer partners and supporters in this association. Our Lord has used you to guide me along the best pathways as I worked

with Miss Campbell in VBS in many of your churches. Yes? You prayed for me, you helped me with personal and physical needs through showers? Love gifts and letters which meant more than words can express. You loved and helped me in more ways than there is time to mention. May our Lord bless each of you abundantly.

May I share a few ways I felt the guiding of my Lord's eye. Before I went to the Philippines I received a letter from the Philippine mission telling me I should bring with me a kerosene refrigerator. Well, I had never heard of a kerosene refrigerator and most people I talked with had not either. But our Father has a 1,000 ways to supply our needs. Marjorie Holden was working at the Kincaid Furniture office at that time and she was a good friend of mine. As she talked with a salesman one day from California, he told her where we could get it in California. "Great," I said, "then we will not have to pay transportation on it from N.C." So I ordered a kerosene refrigerator, sight unseen to be shipped with my things from San Francisco. Now you know our Lord knew I did not know anything about a kerosene refrigerator, but He forgets nothing. When I SAILED on the PRESIDENT WILSON LINES FROM SAN FRANCISCO, would you believe he placed me at a table in the dining room with a man whose parents had been missionaries in China and he told me how to operate it, and to be sure and keep it cleaned. Clean the wick every week and not to depend on my helpers. So I did just as he told me and it worked like a charm.

Yes, He guided me along the pathways of all the provisions I needed. Some were new and different, but all I ever needed.

He led me in the pathways of protection in many wonderful ways. I always felt I was in His care and protection. My first year was somewhat a year of floundering, one might say. It was filled with new and exciting experiences! A year of learning and searching for direction. Our mission was small and fairly new. We did not have any form of language school, and very few guide lines to language study. So I went directly to my station. The needs were so great! I was asked right away to do this and that and I plunged right in. I started teaching Bible classes in the high school, when I could hardly understand their English, and I felt sure they could not understand me very well either. I knew for sure after I had tried to speak very slow and distinctively and told them now if you do not understand me, please hold up your hand, ask me to repeat. Then I asked one student "What if your name?" and when he answered "I don't know mam," I knew I had problems. At the same time I was trying to find a person to teach me the language. I had to find my own teacher and teach him how to teach me "Illongo". Now to complicate things a little more I had to choose a maid or a person to live with me and help with my marketing and household chores.

I prayed and tried to keep my eyes open to a possible student in the school that I felt I could live with and maybe be a help to at the same time. After talking to several of the teachers I chose a lovely Christian girl. A leader and senior. We both prayed and were making plans to move to CBO City after the closing of school to begin language study. I did not know that she had a boyfriend who was not a Christian and one who was determined, as they say "He meant to have her by hook or crook." She did not love the man and did not want to marry him. Just a few days before school closing he went to her house once again and proposed to her. She refused and he stabbed her to death and then went under the house and shot himself. Yes, I believe our Lord led me along this pathway of sorrow and grief. I came closer to the student body and the people, yet I felt he led me in his protection through this for you see if this had happened in my house I am not sure what the outcome might have been. How could I have coped with it? The people may have blamed me, but again He directed me with His eye in just as I believe he did the night my home was robbed while I was away in the Barrio Church doing Bible studies.

He directed me with His eye as He led me down the pathway of making choices. I chose Esther Villaso to be my helper. Her father was killed during the Japanese War. Her mother was a great Christian. She worked hard to support and educate her 3 children. Esther realized to be able to go to school she would have to help and she did by studying hard and making the highest grades in her class, for you see if you make the highest you get the next year's tuition free. So she went all through high school this way. I talked with Esther and asked her to pray about being my helper and I would help her to go to college. She prayed for a couple of days and then came back with big tears in her eyes and said "Mam, I believe our Lord is leading in this to provide for my college education." Yes, my Lord led me down this great pathway and we had some great years together. She blessed my life and helped me to know and understand Philippino customs in ways I would never have learned otherwise. She was one of our first G.A.'s.

I had a long letter from her last week. She today is a great Christian teacher, mother, counselor, advisor and in demand as a speaker in civic organizations and works with the WMU all over the Island of Mindanao. She is the wife of the President of SBC, who is at this time working on his Doctor's Degree in Education at Baylor Uni. in Waco, Texas. They have 3 precious children. The eldest is Manial, this past week end taking the medical board to enter medical school. She told her mother and dad that she wanted to be a medical doctor among the tribes people in the mountains. Esther said they told her "Lanelle tell the Lord and trust Him. We do not know how we can send you to medical school but if He wants you to do this He will help us provide the training." Will you pray with me for them? Their other 2 children are Penrod, a senior in college, and Ivy a senior in high school this next year. They are teaching them, also to trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not to your own understanding and He will direct their lives.

My Lord led me down a great pathway as I worked with the students and teachers at SBC. Oh, the joy we had in planning and promotion for our Christian Emphasis Week each semester. We chose a scripture to go along with the theme each time. We planned much prayer time — 6:30 a.m. so people could come before school time and going to work in the fields. Sometimes a 24 hour chain of prayer. We could always count on our WMU for they had an all night prayer meeting once a month at the church. May I share with you a little of one of our Christian Emphasis Weeks. Our theme was "Jesus Saves." Walk with me through the halls on Monday morning as the classes began and you hear all over the campus the sound of voices singing "We have heard a joyful sound, Jesus saves, Jesus saves. Spread the tidings all around, Jesus saves, Jesus saves." Then at the beginning of every class all through the day again you hear this message being sung, for we had planned with the teachers that each class that week would open with this hymn. What a thrill. At the chapel services each evening, decisions were made. A total of 380 students and faculty made that decision for Christ.

God is not finished yet? A letter I received last week told me of some of these students who are now teachers and pastors serving our Lord in those islands. Yes, He is guiding them also with His eyes. Yes, they, too, are remembering their leaders, those who spoke to them to the word of God. They have considered the outcome of their lives and are imitating their faith. Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today and forever.

AS FUTURE TO FULFILL

In introducing Miss Nancy Curtis, State W.M.U. Executive Secretary, Raleigh, NC, Joann said she was one she had wanted to come for a long time and others had also. She spoke on *Called to act as N.C. W.M.U. Executive Director*.

A future to fulfill. It is my pleasure and I am so happy to be here tonight. I do not mean this unkindly, but I feel a little bit like an outsider. You all are of one mind and one body and you seem to have grown up here together in this wonderful missionary association, and it has been my joy to be in this splendid meeting. Everything about it has been one of the finest associational meetings I have been to. The flags have added much color and beauty; the display at the front and the back. I came in the back way, so I have already seen this one. The very significant people that have been a part of this meeting. Some of you need to remember and treasure this opportunity to get to know the leaders of the association present and past. The music has been outstanding, and then information. I want to mention your dresses and your hats. I need one of those in May to wear to Richmond.

My assignment was to talk on A FUTURE TO FULFILL. I really don't know much about the future, and I am going to say it to you in a very few words. Keep on doing what you have been doing, and we can take care of the future, because you are a leading association in missions in your churches as individuals, and in the association in missions. It might be a little less than I need to say to you tonight. Mark Twain, a name you know well, once said, "Our forefathers who didn't believe in the future, they believed in the future in." I am going to change one word of that our MOTHERS didn't believe in the future they believed the future in. They believed so much and wanted to do what God wanted to do through them in missions, so they just worked and prayed and made it happen and brought the future in.

I want to call you back to that tonight. I want the Lord to call you back to believe in and to work so hard to make it happen. Just a little brief outline I think that there are some absolute essentials that we as Woman's Missionary Union members, as individuals and groups as we move into our second century. Some absolute essentials if there is to be a future in missions. (1). We must fall in love with Jesus Christ. I'm reading from Mark 12:28 . . . What commandment is first of all? Jesus replied, Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God is one Lord and thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart and with all thy soul and with all thy mind and with all thy strength, and the second is this thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. Other commands greater than these there is none. If we are to have a future as Christians, we must fall in love with Jesus Christ. I'm a reader, I like to read and I spend a lot of time in the news books stores and the Baptist book stores. Some of you probably do. You know I have read and read so much, and heard and read so much recently that I felt like I had some information overload, and I came to a place God was saying to me "Nancy, what you need to do is to go back and read the message of Jesus Christ as it is found in the Gospels." I read it over and over and I read it in the translation that I am currently reading the Gospels, which is the Montgomery Translation. Fall in love with Jesus and somehow clear from my mind some of the things that seem to dull and distract. That is step number one, for when we fall in love with Jesus everything else in the Christian experience takes care of itself. Everything we talk about and do in missions takes care of itself. You love Him so much that you will do precisely what He says and you'll do your very best to live precisely as He lived. That means that you will follow when He says go. You will pray, that is communion with the Father, and that you will do and you will be available locally to heal hurts and give cups of cold water in Jesus name, to minister in any way that God calls you. To actually seek out and find people and tell about Jesus. Your ministry will not just be local, but you will know that there are people the world over who need that very same Christ and your message will reach around the world as we are embracing tonight, as we have already heard tonight. (2) The second is absolute essential is there is to be a future, that is very essen-

tial, that we fall in love with our church. I'm convinced that the hope of the world is the local congregational of believers, for whom Christ died, who will be His bride and I have to tell you I am a little bit concerned about the local body of believers called, the church in the Baptist Community and world. In N.C. it takes 47 of us church members to bring one person to the Lord. That's one of the worst statistics, and is our worst percentage in years. In 1987 every church organization in N.C. lost members in the church and all the organizations—Church Training, Sunday School, Brotherhood and WMU, and that concerns me greatly. I wish I could call every Christian here tonight back to a commitment of the local church. I'm speaking to myself. I think I am just going ahead and say it, we've gotten lazy. And as our Baptist churches have gotten larger we feel like we can hide out. In the days of the small church we didn't think that we could hide out, everybody was engaged in everything that the church did. We Baptists have gotten big churches and all these people have gotten a little lazy and we try to hide out. We say "I've done it all these years and now it is somebody else's turn." That isn't scriptural, and we know that. What I've said I am speaking to myself as well as you, so don't feel put upon. *Fall in love with the church. Make it mission minded, please. We southern Baptists started in 1845 with the sole purpose of converting the heathen, as we said then, and we started two mission boards — The Board of Domestic Missions, Home Missions, and the Board of Foreign Missions, and now we have lost some of our tongue vision and our minds are wondering off in all kinds of directions and thus our primary message of winning the lost to Jesus is sometimes sidetracked and derailed. One thing, I don't know how it comes in my outline, but we must teach the children. Lot of folks like myself with graying hair, we must teach the children. Beginning with the little babies, teaching them and showing that God loves them and wants to love the world through them, and the young girls here tonight need to realize there is a special way for them to share Jesus. We must teach the children in our Sunday School and in our mission organizations, in everything teach the young. Fannie E. S. Heck said it like this "Lead the young women gently into places of responsibility." I think that means that she was saying to us that we need to train up the young women to replace us. I heard a T.V. program some years ago and they sang a little song about work they had done in their lives and then they said "Who will we leave behind when we are gone?" That has a great deal to do with the future. Who are you nurturing, to leave behind to carry on the work when you are gone. Fall in love with the church. Recommit yourself to live out your life in that body of believers — working, living, loving, praying, giving, going and doing. It is going to be the most joyous experience in your growing. There'll be great heartaches, sometime, we've been in those situations in the church and in the world, but it is the hope of the world, because it is the primary body through which JESUS IS PREACHED. (3) The third and last. Fall in love in your work with missions. Everyone of us should have such joy in our hearts because, as again we have heard tonight, "We are co-laborers" and I consider it a marvelous privilege to be a co-laborer with Elizabeth Campbell, Stella Austin and Joann and Maxine and we could go on, but it is not in just being co-laborers with all of us in this room, BUT IN BEING CO-LABORERS WITH GOD, THAT'S THE WORK OF MISSIONS. A few years ago I spoke in an associational meeting and a woman who I had known as long as I had been in N.C. sat at the back on the side, and she cried everytime I spoke, and that upset me, because she was a woman not given to so much emotion . . . and I had never seen this woman weep. I thought, well, was I that bad? She came up to me afterwards and sat there and cried and tried to make excuses and then she said "Nancy, the truth of the matter is I love the work so much and so few years left to do it." That 's the kind of love we must have in mis-*

sions. You may have seen a movie a couple of years ago entitled "Back to the Future." Kind of a little fantasy about a young man who had a time machine that went back to before he was born. In fact, before his parents were ever married, and his parents were having a little argument and it looked like that they never were going to get together and get married and that meant he would never be born, but he set himself to work and he worked real hard to patch up the difference between these two parents and he did and everything turned out all right, but the message of the movie, or the way I interpreted it, was you can make a difference in the future. You can make all the difference in the world in the future individually as you work one on one with people who need your love and God's. What a difference you can make in their future. What a difference you can make in your church, this association, and missions in general, as you help woman's missionary union share the message of Jesus Christ with people around the world. That's what missions and WMU is all about, as it has been in our past and will be our future as well.

Centennial Certificates prepared by Centennial Chairman, Miss Campbell, which included history of Caldwell, N.C. and S.B.C. Woman's Missionary Union work was given out to each member present by the Acteen activators of the Clover and Dudley Shoals Baptist Church. They were provided by Miss Campbell's brother, Orville B. Campbell, former owner of the Chapel Hill Paper and still owner of Colonial Press, Inc. of Chapel Hill. He did this in memory of his mother, Mrs. Jessie Bentley Campbell, who loved her part in the W.M.U. program of every church she was a part of, and in memory of his son, Bentley, and in honor of his sister, Elizabeth, who loved missions so much. There are enough copies for most of the Baptist Women to have one if the churches will contact Miss Campbell.

Miss Ella Keller, retired from the Home Mission Board, prayed the closing prayer, which is as follows:

Our Heavenly Father, we thank You that You are our Saviour and Lord and that we have a part in making You known to people throughout the world.

Tonight, we rejoice in our heritage of missions carried out in southern Baptist history by the visions, prayers, and consecrated hard work of our staunch pioneer leaders. We thank you that they led forward in spite of opposition, hardships, and limited communication and gave reality to their glorious dreams.

Thank you for our present leaders of the selfsame vision and purpose who continue to labor that the millions of the whole wide world may come to know you as Lord.

Thank you for generations yet unborn who will keep the visions alive and take the torch to educate the children, the youth, and the churches in the missionary message of the Bible and the opportunities of life involvement in the spread of the Kingdom of God in their generation.

Thank you for our associational leaders who have served and who serve so diligently and for our volunteers who continue to go out and into many nations.

We are grateful for our faithful state leaders. For Nancy Curtis and her encouraging, dedicated leadership; for our pastors who support us and all the work for the convention.

As we go our separate ways tonight, give us grace to be steadfast, unmoveable, and always abounding in the work of the Lord in which we are all a part.

Hitherto, these one hundred years, you have led Woman's Missionary Union. Tonight, we have celebrated the past. We have looked to the future. "We have a future to fulfill." Now as we face the horizon of a new century, supply us with your presence and power as we continue to be "Laborers together with God" that the good news of Jesus Christ will reach every heart in the whole wide world!

In the name of Christ our Saviour, we pray. Amen.

Everyone was given an invitation to go to the Ladies' Parlor for the reception, which had been prepared by Mrs. Pat Annas, centennial chairman, First Baptist Church, Lenoir.

LEADERSHIP

CALDWELL SUPERINTENDENTS/DIRECTORS

Mrs. J. A. Boldin	1913-20
Mrs. O. L. Grice	1920-23
Mrs. A. R. Barlow (Now Mrs. J. C. Russell)	1923-25
Mrs. C. L. Wilson	1925-28
Mrs. George Deans	1928-29
Mrs. J. A. Triplette	1929-31
Mrs. A. F. Sharpe	1931-33
Mrs. J. A. Triplette	1933-35
Mrs. W. R. Beach	1935-36
Mrs. J. P. Rabb	1936-37
Mrs. A. F. Sharpe	1937-39
Mrs. C. A. Bowman	1939-48
Mrs. Grover Triplett	1948-53
Mrs. Wilbur Honeycutt	1954-59
Mrs. Raymond Reavis	1959-64
Mrs. Conley Bumgarner	1964-69
Mrs. J. E. Ledbetter	1969-71
Mrs. Ned (Delores) Leftwitch	1971-74
Miss Virginia Dare Teague	1974-82
Mrs. Joann Propst	1982-88
Mrs. Bill (Mary) Suddreth	1988-

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Mrs. B. H. Dula	1913-15
Miss Annie Belle Moore	1915-16
Mrs. Myra Allen	1916-22
Mrs. J. E. Broyhill	1923-28
Ms. Louise Moore	1928-30
Mrs. H. F. Crump	1931-33
Mrs. George Wynne	1933-35
Mrs. Fred Roberts	1935-39
Mrs. Fred Bowman	1939-48
Mrs. Ira Pritchard	1948-58
Mrs. Paul (Kit) Curtis	1958-63
Mrs. O. D. Hollar	1963-69
Mrs. Brent Clark	1969-70
Mrs. Paul Curtis	1970-82
Mrs. Worth (Lena) Braswell	1982-88

1986 — 100th Anniversary of N.C. W.M.U. meeting held at Miller Hill Baptist Church March 24, 1986. Those attending and served as officers were given plaques for over fifty years of service in the association through the W.M.U. Mrs. O. L. Grice, Mrs. J. C. Russell (ill, could not attend) Directors. Mrs. J. E. Broyhill (could not attend), Mrs. Fred Roberts did attend. Secretaries. Many churches were represented at this meeting, and were dressed in old fashioned costumes.

Missionaries who are serving or have served from the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association.

AFRICA: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ford with special N.C. project in Togo (also worked with Wycliff translators), from Union Grove Baptist Church, Rev. and Mrs. Tom Small, First Baptist Church, Hudson, Zambia, Miss Stella Austin, Kings Creek, Retired, but served in Nigeria, Rev. and Mrs. Lanny Elmore, F.B.C. Rhodhiss and Concord, served one term in Uganda.

BRAZIL: Rev. and Mrs. George (Hilda Beane) Cowsert, a number of places there, Rev. and Mrs. J. Guy Key, Santos and other places. Elena is the daughter of the Cowserts. Rev. and Mrs. Craig Steele, Osasco Association, Sao Paulo, Brazil. (We are now serving as missions in partnership with them 1987-1992.) Mrs. Steele (Ellen Barlowe) from the Lower Creek Baptist Church and helped in association missions work many years. Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Sorrells, Flemings Chapel Baptist Church, now serving at home.

ECUADOR: Rev. and Mrs. Dennis Herman, Quito, Ecuador and also served in Columbia.

INDONESIA: Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Pennell, First Baptist Church, Whitnel, Yogyakarta, Indonesia, but being transferred to Philippines in 1989.

PHILIPPINES: Mrs. Lin (Fay Turnmire) Fincannon served 19½ years Davao City AREA.

GAZA (Journeyman): Mrs. David (Carolyn Hart—Lower Creek) Sizemore, nurse at our hospital in Gaza.

WITH FOREIGN MISSION BOARD — EL PASO, TEXAS: Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Thompson (Lower Creek Connections) Cecil was born in Lenoir and served for a number of years in Buenos, Argentina, and then came to our Baptist Publishing House, where he continues to serve.

HOME MISSION BOARD: Miss Ella Keller, Pooveys Grove Baptist Church, office of H.M.B. now retired: Mrs. Christine (Hastings) Braidwood served many years helping in associational Vacation Bible Schools, and served as a US-2 worker in a Baptist Center in Atlanta, Georgia, but married and is serving with her husband in Jamaica, independent missions. Miss Judy Bailey, North Catawba Baptist Church teaches and works with a missionary and was considered a by-vocational missionary there. Rev. and Mrs. Elmer (Violet Keller) Carter from Pooveys Grove Baptist Church, served in pioneer work in Montana. She is deceased, He was a pastor, she a teacher and faithful worker. Rev. and Mrs. Fred Ellis from Union and Central, served in New Mexico for awhile.

DIRECTORS OF MISSIONS GONE OUT FROM CALDWELL DURING THE TIME MISS CAMPBELL SERVED AS D.O.M. — Rev. and Mrs. Jake Phillips, Concord, served Covington Assoc., Andalusia, Alabama; Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Myers, Oak Grove B. Church, served Cheoh and Tennessee River Assoc.; Mrs. J. S. (Ruth Keller) Craig, Pooveys Grove served this association as missionary, field work Baptist State Conv. WMU, pastor's wife and ended her work in our association with her pastor husband. Served as WMU Director in many places where they served; Rev. and Mrs. John Carter, Rowan Assoc. from Pooveys Grove Baptist Church, N.P. since the Partnership Program of Missions has been in effect the Caldwell Association has been very active in every phase. The Clover Baptist Church under the leadership of Mrs. Mary Sudreth had the first activators in our state to share in this work in Florida. In 1970 Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Helton, Dudley Shoals, among first to go to Tok, Alaska.

INDEPENDENT MISSIONARIES WHO HAVE SERVED WELL FROM CALDWELL: Rev. and Mrs. Eugene McMillan, supported well by College Ave. and

other churches, St. Lucia, Winward Islands, West Indies. Mrs. Christine Hastings Braidwood, supported by Calvary and other churches, serves in May Pen, Jamaica, West Indies. Calvary was her home church many years while her father served as pastor.

NORTH CAROLINA WMU LEADERSHIP DURING THESE 100 YEARS

Sallie Bailey (later Mrs. W. N. Jones)	1886-87
Mrs. J. A. Briggs	1888-89
Mrs. W. N. Jones	1900-06
Mrs. Height C. Moore	1907-10
Elizabeth Norwood Briggs (later Mrs. T. M. Pitman)	1910-11
Blanche Barrus	1911-16
Bertha Carroll (later Mrs. J. E. Hoyle)	1916-21
Mrs. W. H. Reddish	1921-
Mary Warren (later Mrs. Herman T. Sevens)	1922-26
Mrs. Edna R. Harris	1926-39
Mrs. W. D. Briggs (Helen Moring)	1939-43
Mary Currin (Mrs. Walter Lee Robertson)	1943-45
Mrs. James S. Farmer (Foy Johnson)	1945-46
Ruth Provence	1946-54
Miriam Robinson	1955-68
Sara Ann Hobbs	1968-77
Nancy Curtis	1977-

PRESIDENTS

Fannie Exile Scudder Heck	1891-92
Mrs. J. A. Briggs	1892-94
Fannie Exile Scudder Heck	1894-95
Mrs. J. A. Briggs	1895-99
Fannie Exile Scudder Heck	1899-06
Susan Clark	1906-08
Mrs. Wesley N. Jones	1908-13
Blanche Barrus	1913-16
Mrs. Wesley N. Jones	1916-38
Mrs. J. Clyde Turner	1938-42
Mrs. James S. Farmer	1942-45
Mrs. J. Clyde Turner	1945-46
Mrs. James S. Farmer	1946-51
Mrs. Gordon (Mabel Clair) Maddrey	1951-56
Mrs. W. K. (Velma) McGee	1956-61
Mrs. A. L. (Sara) Parker	1961-66
Mrs. R. Knolan (Emma) Benfield	1966-71
Mrs. Gilmer (Bernice) Cross	1971-76
Mrs. J. Frank (Betty) Bilreath	1976-81
Mrs. Horace (Beatrice) McRae	1981-86
Mrs. Hoyle (Dorothy) Allred	1986-

SOUTHERN BAPTIST CORRESPONDING OR EXECUTIVE SECRETARIES AND PRESIDENTS DURING 100 YEARS

CORRESPONDING OR EXECUTIVE SECRETARIES

Miss Annie Armstrong, C.S.	1888-1906
Miss Edith Campbell Crane, C.S.	1907-11
Miss Kathleen Moore Mallory, E.S.	1912-48
Miss Alma Hunt, E.S.	1948-74
Miss Carolyn Weatherford, E.S.	1974-89

PRESIDENTS

Miss Martha E. McIntoch	1888-1902
Miss Fannie E. S. Heck from N.C.	1892-84
Mrs. Abby Manly Gwathmey	1894-95
Miss Fannie E. S. Heck	1895-99
Mrs. Charles Stakely	1899-1903
Mrs. J. A. Barker	1903-06
Miss Fannie E. S. Heck	1906-15
Mrs. W. C. James	1916-25
Mrs. W. J. Cox	1925-33
Mrs. F. W. Armstrong	1933-45
Mrs. George R. Martin	1945-56
Mrs. R. L. Mathis	1956-63
Mrs. Robert Fling	1963-69
Mrs. R. L. Mathis	1969-75
Mrs. A. Harrison Gregory	1975-81
Dr. Dorothy Elliott Sample	1981-86
Mrs. Glendon McCullough	1986-88

CALDWELL W.M.U. MEMBERS OFF TO RICHMOND FOR CENTENNIAL MEETING MAY 13-15, 1988

60 Baptist women and one G.A., the granddaughter of Joann Propst, W.M.U. Director for our centennial years celebrations, left on two buses from Lenoir and Granite Falls (May 13-15, 1988) to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the Southern Baptist Woman's Missionary Union Organization. It was a great experience as we looked back and were challenged for the future. The trip to Richmond had been planned by our W.M.U. Director, Joann Propst.

Another great experience is the fact that three (3) people from the Caldwell Association shared in the special services on Saturday, May 14, 1988. Miss Stella Austin, Kings Creek, Retired Missionary from Nigeria, and Mrs. Trudy Wall, from our Mt. Carmel Church, who had recently been appointed as a missionary to Jordan was in the missionaries parade. Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell, Centennial Chairman of the Caldwell Missionary Baptist Associational W.M.U. for four years was in the Centennial Chairman's Parade. She carried the Caldwell Associational Banner made by Mrs. Jan Lail, Flemings Chapel Baptist Church, and our Baptist Women's Director. Miss Campbell was dressed in a special old fashioned dress she had made in 1963 for the Caldwell Association's 50th Anniversary, and which she had worn many times in celebrations of our W.M.U. work since that time.

A great time of information, inspiration and fun was had by all who have shared in all of these special times we have had together.

This report prepared by:
Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell,
Centennial Chairman
Caldwell Associational
Woman's Missionary Union 1984-88



FLAGS AND CARRIERS AS DESCRIBED BEGINNING ON PAGE 99.



L to R: Mrs. Bertha Reavis 50th Anniv. Assoc. WMU Supt., Miss Nancy Curtis, State WMU Executive Director, Mrs. Linda Reid, Temple Hill WMU Director, Miss Maxine Bumgarner, Honoree and West Va. WMU Director, Mrs. Joanne Propst, Caldwell Assoc. WMU Director and Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell, Centennial Director. Temple Hill Baptist Church and Miss Campbell was responsible for the plaque.



CALDWELL ASSOCIATIONAL W.M.U. EARLIEST YEARS 1913-1953 SUPERINTENDENTS — Seated L-R: Mrs. C. L. Wilson, Lenoir First, Mrs. J. A. Boldin, Lower Creek First Supt. 1913 and helped in work for so many years, Mrs. O. L. Grice, Lenoir First.
 Standing L-R: Mrs. A. F. Sharpe, Lenoir First, Mrs. J. A. Triplett, Ch.?, Mrs. C. A. Bowman, Dudley Shoals, Miss Eller Dickson (Librarian) and Mrs. Grover Triplett, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Lenoir First, (Missionary).



DIRECTORS, SECRETARIES, AND MISSIONARY PRESENT 1986 MILLER HILL BAPTIST CHURCH FOR N.C. 100TH CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY — First Row L-R: Miss Dare Teague, Kings Creek, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, A.M., and Mrs. O. L. Grice, Lenoir First, Mrs. Edna Roberts, Lower Creek, Secretary, Mrs. Joan Propst, Rhodhiss, First, Centennial Director. Second Row L-R: Mrs. (Paul) Kit Curtis, Meadowbrook, Secretary, Mrs. Ervin (Anneal) Ledbetter, Lenoir First, Mrs. Frank (Susan) Denning, Miller Hill Director, Mrs. Ned (Delores) Leftwich, and Mrs. Bertha Reavis, 50th Anniv. Director, Lower Creek, Mrs. Conley (Tula) Bumgarner, Mt. Carmel, and Miss Stella Austin, Kings Creek, and missionary to Nigeria, Africa 35 years. Mrs. J. D. (Ruth Keller) Craig, A.M. (not shown) and Miss Ella Keller, Home Missionary, Pooveys Grove.



WHERE THE W.M.U.'s STARTED — FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, LENOIR — Mrs. Joan Propst, Rhodhiss First, Assoc. Centennial Director, Mrs. Pat Annas, Lenoir First Centennial Director, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Lenoir First, Associational Centennial Director.



THOSE FROM LENOIR FIRST ATTENDING 100th ANNIVERSARY OF N.C. WMU 1986 — MILLER HILL BAPTIST CHURCH — Mrs. Cecil (Gladys) Whitener, Mrs. J. D. (Mayhew) Mullis, Mrs. Pat Annas, Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell, Mrs. Marian Austin, Mrs. Frances Angely and Mrs. Ervin (Anneal) Ledbetter.



CALDWELL ASSOCIATIONAL — MARCH 28, 1988 — 75th ANNIVERSARY — FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, LENOIR 100th CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION S.B.C. W.M.U. — Mrs. Joan Propst, Rhodhiss First, Director, Miss Nancy Curtis, State Executive Director and special speaker, Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell, Caldwell Assoc. Centennial Director.



SPECIAL PROGRAM PERSONALITIES FROM THE N.C. 100th ANNIV. OF N.C. WMU MILLER HILL — ALL FROM CALDWELL ASSOCIATION — Miss Virginia Dare Teague, Director, Mrs. Ruth Craig, Former Missionary, Mrs. Joan Propst, Director, Mrs. Bertha Reavis, 50th Anniversary Supt., Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell, Missionary, Miss Stella Austin, Missionary to Africa, Miss Ella Keller, Home Mission Board, Atlanta, Mrs. Nora Annas, Music Director for years in Assoc. W.M.U. work (seated).



PROGRAM PERSONALITIES OF THE 100th N.C. CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION AT THE MILLER HILL BAPTIST CHURCH, MARCH 26, 1986 PARTIALLY IDENTIFIED — First Row L-R: Mrs. Joan Propst, Rhodhiss First, Director, Mrs. J. D. (Ruth) Craig, Former Assoc. Missionary, State Worker, and Pastor's Wife, Ella Keller, Pooveys Grove, Home Mission Board, Elizabeth J. Campbell, Lenoir First, Centennial Chm. and former Assoc. Missionary, Stella Austin, Kings Creek and Missionary to Nigeria, Africa, Mrs. Glenda Anderson, Union, representing N.C. First Leader, Miss Fannie E. S. Heck, ?, Mrs. Bertha Reavis, 50th Anniv. Director.

YOUTH LEADERS FELLOWSHIP GROUP

Rev. Steve Crouse
Mt. Zion Baptist Church

Responding to a need to increase fellowship and support among youth ministers in the Caldwell Baptist Association, the first meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Youth Ministers Fellowship Group was held on September 14, 1989, at the Western Steer in Hudson, NC Those who attended were Gilbert Blackburn, Steve Crouse, Terry Crouse, Neil Efird, Mike Isaacs, Scott Sparks and Brooks Walker along with our Director of Missions, Dale Fisher. The fellowship group will meet the second Thursday of each month. It is our hope that this group will grow and serve as a place where ifeas, support, encouragement and fellowship can be shared among those who work with youth in Caldwell Association.

Respectfully submitted,
Steve Crouse

**BAPTIST INSTITUTION IN ASSOCIATION
Baptist Children’s Homes of North Carolina**

Lenoir Area Family Service Office
Mrs. Donna B. Lail, Director
Route 2, Box 380
Lenoir, NC 28645
757-0700

Marguerite Noel Homes for Girls

Care House

**ASSISTANT MINISTERS OR MINISTERS OF
EDUCATION**

College Avenue	Terry Barnes P. O. Box 592, Lenoir, NC 28645
Dudley Shoals.....	Daniel Redding 850 Bowman Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Lenoir First	Donald Rogers 801 Armstrong Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
Lower Creek.....	Douglas Jordan 902 Hawthorne Drive, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645
Mountain Grove	Mrs. Anna Dean Smith Route 1, Box 112, Hudson, NC 28638

CHAIRMAN OF STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEES

Center Grove	Wayne Bumgardner Route 1, Box 488-A, Hudson, NC 28638
Clarks Chapel	J.B. Angley 104 Kaylor Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Clover	Mike Warlick 102 Cross Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630
College Avenue	Lewis Isaac 923 Vista Place, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645
Concord	Mrs. Pam Barber 8 Caldwell Avenue, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Dry Ponds	Greg Wilson 100 Rock Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Dudley Shoals	Herman Kizer Route 1, Box 195, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Granite Falls First	Doug Woods 83 Ellenwood Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Harris Chapel	Gary J. Hardin Route 2, Box 393, Hudson, NC 28638
Hudson First	Douglas Annas 109 Dove Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645

Kings Creek	Mrs. Mavis Robbins Route 1, Box 404-C, Lenoir, NC 28645
Lakeview	Carl Oliver 1246 Skyview Place, Lenoir, NC 28645
Lenoir First	Jack Spainhour P.O. Box 177, Lenoir, NC 28645
Lower Creek	Bud Ayers 825 Hawthorne Drive, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645
Meadowbrook	Larry Pennington 1212 Wildwood Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Nelsons Chapel	Karen Ford 804 Cottrell Hill Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
North Catawba	Doug Wingate 542 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Piney Grove	George Greene 109 Riverview Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Rocky Springs	Jim Hayes Route 7, Box 352, Lenoir, NC 28645
Union Grove	Dale Watson 352 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Yadkin	Greg Whisenant 302 Tranquil Hills, Lenoir, NC 28645

CHURCH MEDIA LIBRARY DIRECTORS

Baton	Miss Melissa Hollars Route 2, Box 449, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Cajahs Mountain	Sylvia Calloway Route 2, Box 563, Hudson, NC 28638
Center Grove	Mrs. Hayes Watson Route 3, Box 726, Hudson, NC 28638
Central	Ramona Thompson 211 Mount Herman Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Clarks Chapel	Miss Karla Briscoe 238 Walt Arney Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Clover	Mrs. Doris Icard 9 Grandview Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630
College Avenue	Mrs. Swannie Lynch 426 Howard Street, Lenoir, NC 28645
Concord	Mrs. Pam Graham 10 Quarry Road, Apt. 27, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Crest View	Mrs. Pauline Bentley 117 Creekside Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Dudley Shoals	Mrs. Joyce Harris Route 1, Box 359, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Fellowship	Bob Welch P. O. Box 732, Lenoir, NC 28645
Flemings Chapel	Mrs. Vicki Haigler Route 6, Box 777, Lenoir, NC 28645
Friendship	Teresa Branch P.O. Box 868, Hudson, NC 28638

Granite Falls First	Mrs. Annie High P.O. Box 525, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Green Valley	Wanda Baldwin P.O. Box 71, Collettsville, NC 28611
Harris Chapel	Beth Hartley Route 2, Box 263, Hudson, NC 28638
Harrisburg	Mrs. Janice Younce 510 Fairway Acres, Lenoir, NC 28645
Hudson First	Mrs. Dottie Almond Route 2, Box 221-E, Hudson, NC 28638
Kings Creek	Mrs. Tracy Hedrick 512-D N.E. Dogwood St., Lenoir, NC 28645
Lakeview	Mrs. Carol Gragg 403 Shasta Lane, SW., Lenoir, NC 28645
Lenoir First	Mrs. Dewey Reid 326 Summit Pl., S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
Livingston Memorial	Mrs. Anita Watson Route 1, Box 727-A, Boomer, NC 28606
Lower Creek	Zula Huskins 406 Powell Circle, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645
Meadowbrook	Mrs. Janice Smith Route 11, Box 680, Lenoir, NC 28645
Miller Hill	Mrs. Barbara Watson 112 Tut Hill Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Mountain Grove	Charlotte Smith Route 2, Box 303, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Mt. Zion	Miss Linda Richards 83 N. Highland Avenue, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. Melba Triplett 217 Lower Creek Drive, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645
North Catawba	Mrs. Faye Harrison 210 Parkwood, Lenoir, NC 28645
Oak Grove	Patsy Reid 1 Fairview Hills Drive, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Piney Grove	Mrs. Vicki Decker 2125 Wendwood Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Pooveys Chapel	Brandi Icard C-31-5 Cajahs Mountain Road, Hudson, NC 28638
Pooveys Grove	Elizabeth Keller 48 Dry Ponds Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Setzers Creek	Peggy Green Route 10, Box 229, Lenoir, NC 28645
Temple Hill	Mrs. Debbie Yount Route 1, Box 502, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Union Grove	Mrs. Nellie Mullinax Route 2, Box 354-A3, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Whitnel First	Sylvia Smith 409 Hampton Heights, Lenoir, NC 28645
Yadkin	Mrs. Debbie Steele Route 5, Box 642, Lenoir, NC 28645

CHURCH ORGANISTS OR PIANISTS

Baton	Mrs. Marie Greer & Mrs. Sherry Cannon
Blairs Fork	Sylvia Bentley
Buffalo Cove	Mrs. Lena P. Bumgarner & Mrs. Josie Watson
Cajahs Mountain	Janet Smith
Calvary	Mrs. Teresa Brakefield & Mrs. Adene James
Cedar Rock	Miss Kristy Whisnant
Center Grove	Miss Regina Keener & Miss Denise Bumgardner
Central	Mr. Melvin Hines & Mrs. Karen Hamby
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. James Brown & Mrs. Robert Marshall
Clearview	Dianne West & Edith Haas
Clover	Miss Sara Moore & Mrs. Ruth Carpenter
College Avenue	Gale C. Little & Lisa H. Kent
Concord	Mrs. Becky Curtis & Dawn Bean
Conways Chapel	Mrs. Linda Crump
Crest View	Mrs. Sybil Watson & Mrs. Gail Austin
Dry Ponds	Revonda Annas & Louise Bowman
Dudley Shoals	Ms. Karen Hall
Fellowship	Mrs. Marlene Sullivan
Flemings Chapel	Mrs. Beulah Reichard & Mrs. Dee Taylor
Friendship	Brenda Roper & Crissy Watters
Grandin	Lisa Eller
Grandview Park	Mrs. Bill Crump
Granite Falls First	Mrs. Lois Whisenant & Miss Ella Wilkey
Green Valley	Mrs. Sandra Coffey
Harris Chapel	Kathy Hardin & Elaine Tolbert
Harrisburg	Mrs. Ron Burgett & Mrs. Vicki Campbell
Hartland	Ruth Perry & Gwyn Warren
Hibriten	Mrs. Marie Dula & Mrs. Ruth Marley
Hudson First	Michael Riggs & Miss Sherry Austin
Kings Creek	Mrs. Joyce Zemp & Mrs. Connie Parsons
Lakeview	Mrs. Diane Farthing & Mrs. Winifred Setzer
Lenoir First	Mrs. F.L. Smith, III
Livingston Memorial	Mrs. Reba Walsh
Lower Creek	Elaine Blackburn & Kathy Johnson
Meadowbrook	Pat Enloe & Sharon Bryant
Miller Hill	Miss Yvonne Teague
Mountain Grove	Mrs. Margaret Scronce & Eric D. Hopkins
Mountain View	Maria Beth Clark
Mt. Carmel	Mrs. Sue Bumgarner
Mt. Zion	Jeff Carter & Mrs. Phil Turnmire
Mulberry	Collene Triplett & Angela Todd
Mulvale	Judy Melton & Lorraine Key
Nelsons Chapel	Winnie Miller & Karen Ford
North Catawba	Mrs. Merle Chapman & Miss Lisa Chapman
Oak Grove	Juanita Dobbs & David Richards
Open Door Mission	Betty Hatton
Piney Grove	Mrs. Louise Greene & Mrs. Virginia Roberson
Poovey's Chapel	Corinne Hatley & Betty Sue Justice
Poovey's Grove	Mrs. Myra Mercer & Florene Fletcher

Rocky Springs	Mrs. Betty Bain & Mrs. Dawn Barrett
Rufus	Miss Amy Bradshaw
Setzers Creek	JoAnn Nichols & Anita M. Haas
Sunrise	Millie Bowman & Pattie Greene
Temple Hill	Nancy Coffey & Linda Reid
Union	Sandra Coffey & Pat Hollar
Union Grove	Mrs. Anne Hall & Mrs. Jane Bean
West Lenoir	Mrs. Hilda Cook & Mrs. Elizabeth Triplett
Whitnel First	Betty Hall & Linda Walker
Yadkin	Ms. Eulene Laws & Mrs. Shirley Storie
Yadkin Valley	Grace Gragg & Nancy Clark
Zacks Fork	Joy Triplett & Revonda Deal

CHURCH SECRETARIES

Baton-P	Mrs. Annie Hall Route 3, Box 88, Lenoir, NC 28645
Buffalo Cove-V	Mrs. Lena P. Bumgarner Route 5, Box 422, Lenoir, NC 28645
Cajahs Mountain-V	Lori Benfield Route 3, Box 488-B, Lenoir, NC 28645
Calvary	Mrs. JoAnn Walker P.O. Box 618, Lenoir, NC 28645
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Hildred Church 744 East Blvd., Lenoir, NC 28645
Central-P	Sharon Barlow 213 Walt Arney Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. Joyce Bumgarner P.O. Box 5305, Lenoir, NC 28645
Clover-P	Miss Carole Church 39 Forest Avenue, Granite Falls, NC 28630
College Avenue-P	Karen G. Ford 130 Plymouth Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Concord-P	Mrs. Mary Mull 2 Starnes Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Conways Chapel-V	Mrs. Becky Shaw 118-D Spencer Heights, Lenoir, NC 28645
Crest View-P	Mrs. Carol DeFouw 201 West Lenoir Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Dry Ponds-P	Scottie Shaver 200 Union Church Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Dudley Shoals-P	Mrs. Linda Ingle Route 1, Box 212, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Edgemont-V	Patricia Moretz Star Route, Box 202, Lenoir, NC 28645
Fellowship-P	Mrs. Cathi Loss P. O. Box 732, Lenoir, NC 28638
Fleming Chapel-V	Grady Pennell Route 11, Box 326, Lenoir, NC 28645
Friendship-P	Mrs. Sue Smith 1214 Overlook Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645

Grandin-V	Lennis Eller Route 1, Box 551, Lenoir, NC 28645
Grandview Park-V	Mrs. Almeda Adkins Redcliffe Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Granite Falls First-P	Mrs. Betty Witherspoon 35 Meandering Way, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Green Valley-V	Wanda Baldwin P.O. Box 71, Collettsville, NC 28611
Harris Chapel-P	Karan Hames 613 Providence Court, Hudson, NC 28638
Harrisburg-P	Mrs. Frances Price 708 Lynhaven Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
Hartland-V	Diane Oliver Route 7, Box 181-A, Morganton, NC 28655
Hudson First-P	Mrs. Margaret Benfield P.O. Box 165, Hudson, NC 28638
Kings Creek-P	Mrs. Azalee Brookshire Route 1, Box 194, Boomer, NC 28606
Lakeview-V	Mrs. Paula Farthing 151 Walt Arney Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Lenoir First-P	Mrs. Hillard Underdown 412 Edgewood Drive, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 Mrs. F. L. Smith, Jr. 430 Highland Avenue, S.W. Lenoir, NC 28645
Livingston Memorial-P	Mrs. Janet Walker Route 1, Box 258, Boomer, NC 28606
Lower Creek-P	Mrs. Judy F. Brittain 546 Calico Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Meadowbrook-P	Mrs. Dale King Twin Meadow Acres, Hudson, NC 28638
Miller Hill-P	Mrs. Jan Powell 257 Legion Road, C-44-7, Hudson, NC 28638
Mountain Grove-P	Denise A. Hopkins P.O. Box 857, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Mountain View-V	Douglas T. Clark Route 10, Box 256, Lenoir, NC 28645
Mt. Carmel-V	Mrs. Judy Mullinax Route 3, Box 984, Hudson, NC 28638
Mt. Zion-P	Mrs. Melvin Mundy Route 3, Box 466, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Mulvale-V	Sybil Moore Route 10, Box 375, Lenoir, NC 28645
Nelsons Chapel-P	Karen G. Ford 163 Spring Meadow Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
North Catawba-P	Lisa Chapman Route 3, Box 342, Lenoir, NC 28645
Piney Grove-V	Miss Sonya Drum Route 5, Box 182, Lenoir, NC 28645
Poovey's Chapel-P	Lavonne Hartley Route 1, Box 250-B, Hudson, NC 28638

Poovey’s Grove-V	Stacy Propst 2117 Essex Street, Newton, NC 28658
Rhodhiss First-P	Verlon Hartley 102 Peachtree Place, Lenoir, NC 28645
Rocky Springs-V	Wilma Williams Route 7, Box 804-A, Lenoir, NC 28645
Setzer’s Creek-V	Faye Storie Route 8, Box 124, Lenoir, NC 28645
Sunrise-V	Ava Crouch 179 Cedar Avenue, Hudson, NC 28638
Temple Hill-V	Bernice Marley 1317 Forest Hills Park, Lenoir, NC 28645
Union Grove-P	Mrs. Annie Hall Route 3, Box 88, Lenoir, NC 28645
West Lenoir	Mrs. Joetta Greer 113 Spencer Hts., Lenoir, NC 28645
Whitnel First-P	Christine Walker Route 3, Box 307, Lenoir, NC 28645
Yadkin-P	Mrs. Nancy Isaacs 130 Hillwood Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Yadkin Valley-V	Nancy Clark Route 5, Box 140, Lenoir, NC 28645
Zacks Fork-V	Charlotte Deal P.O. Box 1048, Lenoir, NC 28645

**MINISTERS OF EDUCATION
AND MUSIC AND/OR YOUTH**

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Blairs Fork-Youth	Roger Abernathy Old Morganton Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Central-Music/Education	Edgar Lineberger 1052-2 Cedar Hills Ct., S.E., Lenoir, NC 28645
Central-Youth	Kevin Tuttle Route 1, Box 72-A, Hudson, NC 28638
Clover-Youth	Myron Davis 316 Driftwood Drive, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Concord-Music/Youth	Terry Crouse 37 Falls Avenue, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Crest View-Education/Youth	Rick Bene 1252 Oaklawn Street, Lenoir, NC 28645
Dudley Shoals-Youth	Ms. Linda K. Story Route 1, Box 212, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Fellowship-Youth	Mrs. Nancy Haigh 203 Olde Well Road, Hudson, NC 28638
Granite Falls First-Education/Youth	Patrick Benfield 61 Pinewood Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Harris Chapel-Associate Pastor/Youth	David Houser Route 4, Box 12, Granite Falls, NC 28630

Hudson First-Music/Education	Don Almond
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Hudson First-Associate Pastor/Youth.....	Michael Isaacs
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Lenoir First-Youth.....	Mrs. Mark Manship
	824 Manchester Pl., S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
Livingston Memorial-Youth	Mrs. Anita Watson
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Lower Creek-Music/Youth.....	Gilbert E. Blackburn
	236 Tremont Park Drive, S.E., Lenoir, NC 28645
Mountain Grove-Music/Youth	Randy McCall
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Mt. Zion-Music/Youth.....	Steve Crouse
	Route 3, Box 258, Hudson, NC 28638
Nelsons Chapel-Youth	Karen G. Ford
	163 Spring Meadow Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
North Catawba-Music/Youth.....	Brooks Walker
	Route 3, Box 307, Lenoir, NC 28645
Piney Grove-Youth	Mrs. Lorraine Minton
	Route 5, Box 284, Lenoir, NC 28645
Rocky Springs-Music/Youth	Mike Moore
	352 Calico Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Setzers Creek-Youth	Claude Storie
	Route 8, Box 124, Lenoir, NC 28645
Temple Hill-Music/Youth.....	Jason Guyer
	Route 1, Box 497, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Union Grove-Education/Youth	Neal Efird
	246 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Whitnel FBC-Education/Youth	Scott Sparks
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Yadkin-Music/Education	Sherrill German
	P.O. Box 254, Patterson, NC 28661
Yadkin-Youth	Wayburn Braswell

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Center Grove	Mrs. Gerald Nester
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Rufus	Ms. Mary N. Walker
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SUMMER WORKERS

College Avenue	Todd Smith
Dudley Shoals	Mitchell Wright
Mt. Zion.....	Tommy Carpenter

CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS of the CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

CONSTITUTION

Preamble

This Constitution has been established to identify and preserve the fundamental truths and basic beliefs of this association.

Article I: Name

This body is known as the Caldwell Baptist Association.

Article II: Duration

On October 22, 1885, sixteen churches met at the Rocky Springs Baptist Church to organize the Caldwell Baptist Association. The duration of this association is perpetual.

Article III: Location

Section 1. The member churches of this association are located in and adjacent to Caldwell County, North Carolina.

Section 2. The Caldwell Baptist Center, located at 208 Nu-Way Circle, Northeast, in Lenoir, North Carolina 28645, is recognized as the official headquarters of this association.

Article IV: Purpose

The purpose of this association is to assist member churches, individually and corporately, to enlarge and strengthen God's kingdom at home and around the world through evangelism and missions; and to encourage them to cooperate fully in the programs and ministries of this association, the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Article V: Membership

Section 1. COMPOSITION: The membership of the association is composed of cooperating Southern Baptist Churches which have been approved for membership by the association.

Section 2. ADMISSION: When seeking admission into the association, a church must present to the Membership Committee a typed letter of request for admission at least six months prior to the annual meeting of the association.

- A. After receiving a request for admission into the association the Membership Committee is to meet with leaders of the church to discuss their desire for membership, to explain the associational requirements for admission, to consider any of their church approved documents and location of their meetings, and to deal with any other matters that would help the committee make a decision about their request.
- B. At the next annual meeting, the Membership Committee is to share the request with the association and to make one of the following recommendations:

1. That the church requesting admission be accepted under the watchcare of the association;
2. That action on the request be delayed for further consideration at the next quarterly meeting of the association; or
3. That the request for membership be denied.

The committee is to give clear reason for its recommendation concerning the status of watchcare. As soon as possible following the associational meeting, the committee is to communicate the action of the association with the church first in spoken words, and then by typed letter.

C. Any church that is accepted under the watchcare of the association must remain in that status for at least one full year before being admitted into the membership of the association.

1. Watchcare is a time of bonding between the association and the church seeking admission. The association is to carefully observe the faith, practice and cooperation of the church. The church under watchcare is to receive the same opportunities extended to member churches; however, members of churches under watchcare may not vote nor hold a position of leadership in the association.
2. During the watchcare period, the church is expected to have an active part in the support of the work of the association, the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.
3. The Membership Committee is to meet, as needed, with leaders of the church, during the watchcare period to discuss their relationship with the association. Representatives of the committee are to visit during meetings of the church to observe the organization and practices of the church.

D. Near the close of the watchcare period the committee is to evaluate the condition and cooperation of the church and to decide on one of the following recommendations to make to the association at the appropriate time concerning membership:

1. That the church requesting admission be accepted into full fellowship of the association;
2. That action on the admission be delayed until the next quarterly meeting of the association; or
3. That admission into the association be denied.

The committee is to give clear reason for its recommendation concerning membership. As soon as possible following the associational meeting, the committee is to communicate with the church the action of the association first in spoken words, and then by typed letter.

- E. A two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present is needed for the church to be accepted under watchcare or into full membership of the association.
- F. If a church is denied the status of watchcare or membership by the association, then after the lapse of one year it may submit another letter to the Membership Committee requesting admission.

Section 3. **CONFLICT:** If a member church is in conflict and requests help from the association, then the Membership Committee and/or the Director of Missions may meet with the church to counsel and work with them in an attempt to help resolve the problem(s).

Section 4. **COOPERATION:** Any member church which fails to cooperate with the association for two consecutive years is to be contacted by the Membership Committee to ascertain the wishes and desires of the church relative to its continuance in the association. After counsel with the church, the committee may choose to make a recommendation that the church be removed from the membership of the association. Such a recommendation would have to be made at a quarterly meeting of the association, and a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present would be needed for dismissal of the church from the association.

The committee is to give clear reason for its recommendation concerning action toward the member church. As soon as possible following the associational meeting, the committee is to send a letter to the church to communicate the action taken by the association.

A cooperating church is defined as one who sends an annual church letter to the associational clerk, is represented by duly elected messengers at quarterly associational meetings, contributes financially to the association, and is in general agreement with the purpose, basic beliefs, programs and ministries of the association.

The association recognizes that any affiliated church has the right to withdraw its fellowship from the association. It is requested that the report of such action by a church be sent to the Membership Committee in an official letter from the church. Upon receipt of the letter, the Membership Committee is to discuss the action with leaders of the church. At the next quarterly meeting of the association, the committee is to inform the messengers of the church action. The association is to take one of the following actions:

- A. Accept the action of the church and immediately remove the church. The church is to be notified of the action by a letter from the association.
- B. Delay acceptance of the church action until the next quarterly meeting and instruct the Membership Committee to ask the church to reconsider its action.

Section 5. **NOTIFICATION:** The association is to immediately inform the North Carolina Baptist State Convention when a church is accepted under watchcare or membership. In addition, the convention is to be informed if a church is dismissed from the association as a member.

Article VI: Authority

Section 1. This association is an autonomous body which is governed only by the duly elected messengers from the churches that compose it. Every messenger has the right to vote on all matters of business presented at any quarterly or called meeting of the association provided that the messenger is present. Absentee voting is prohibited.

Section 2. This association may advise and assist member churches as requested, but may not infringe upon the rights of these churches. The association recognizes each church as a self-governing body that has voluntarily decided to be affiliated with the association.

Article VII: Relationships

Section 1. This association is composed of member churches that govern and support it.

Section 2. All internal groups created and empowered by the association are only accountable to the association.

Section 3. The association voluntarily cooperates with and supports the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Article VIII: Basic Beliefs

This association accepts the doctrinal statements of *The Baptist Faith and Message* as adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in 1963. A copy of *The Baptist Faith and Message* is available for study in the Media Library of the Caldwell Baptist Center.

Article IX: Amendments

This Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present at any quarterly meeting of the association, provided that the amendment was presented in written or typed form to the clerk and publicly stated to the messengers by the moderator or his designee at the preceding quarterly meeting of the association. Typed copies of the amendment are to be furnished to the current messengers of the association for study at least two weeks prior to the vote on the amendment.

BYLAWS

Preamble

These Bylaws have been established to identify and preserve procedural matters of this association and to govern this body in an orderly manner.

Article I: Administrative Policies

Section 1. The associational staff is responsible for scheduling the use of the Baptist Center in Lenoir and the Caldwell Cottage at Ridgecrest.

Section 2. Money is to be contributed to the Gideons by the association for the purchase of memorial Bibles upon the death of a pastor, staff minister, associational leader, or the spouse of a pastor, staff minister or associational leader.

Section 3. The chairman of the Trustees Committee, the treasurer and the Director of Missions are authorized to have access to the association's safety deposit box located at the First Union National Bank on Main Street in Lenoir.

Article II: Associational Year

The Associational Year begins on October 1 and closes on September 30.

Article III: Finances

Section 1. The fiscal year of the Association begins on October 1 and closes on September 30.

Section 2. The Associational Budget for the upcoming year is to be formally presented by the Finance Committee for a vote by the messengers during the quarterly meeting of the association in July each year. In order to give the messengers adequate time to study the budget, the Finance Committee is to prepare and distribute copies

of the budget to the messengers by the second Thursday of July each year. The budget becomes effective on October 1 annually. The Finance Committee is to maintain a budget format that corresponds with the organizational structure of the association.

Section 3. The treasurer is to present to the messengers a current financial report clearly showing all receipts and disbursements during each quarterly meeting of the association. During the quarterly meeting in October, an annual financial report is to be presented. The treasurer is to provide a monthly financial report in the associational newsletter including the contributions of each church in the association.

Section 4. The association maintains an ongoing "Ministers Support Fund" to temporarily assist associational pastors, staff ministers, retired ministers, other ministers and their immediate families during times of financial crises. The Finance Committee confidentially administers the fund, giving an annual report as to the number of ministers assisted and the amount of money given. The money for this fund comes from the portion of the State Missions Offering that the association receives.

Section 5. Each associational church is requested to contribute at least 4% of all undesignated receipts to the association.

Section 6. The association is a non-profit organization.

Article IV: Logos

Section 1. The association is to continually have a personalized logo that visually displays the identity and current work of this body.

Section 2. The association accepts and uses the logo of the Southern Baptist Convention to help identify who we are.

Article V: Meetings

Section 1. The messengers of the association meet quarterly to receive information and reports and to transact the business of the association. The meetings are held in October (Fall Meeting), January (Winter Meeting), April (Spring Meeting), and July (Summer Meeting). The meetings in January, April and July are night meetings which are held on the fourth Thursday of each month. The meeting in October is considered the Annual Meeting of the association and is conducted on the fourth Thursday and Friday of October.

The first session of the Annual Meeting is held on Thursday night. The second session is conducted on Friday morning and the third (final) session is held on Friday afternoon. The annual meeting is to be held in one church on Thursday and in another church on Friday. The association is responsible for providing lunch for the messengers on Friday. The association has the option of charging for the meal on a cost recovery basis, or may pay for the meal out of the associational budget.

Section 2. The Associational Meetings Committee is fully responsible for preparing the program, selecting and contacting program participants, and for choosing and preparing the location for each meeting. The location for each quarterly meeting is to be presented one year in advance. The meetings are to be held in as many member churches as practically possible on a rotating basis.

Section 3. The Moderator or the Director of Missions can call the messengers together for special meetings to deal with extremely urgent matters that cannot wait until the next quarterly meeting. Before calling a special meeting to order, a notice of at least two weeks is to be given to the messengers with a clear explanation as to the purpose of the meeting. A quorum of fifty messengers must be present to conduct a special meeting.

Section 4. A quorum at each of the quarterly meetings of the association consists of those messengers who attend each meeting.

Section 5. *Robert's Rules of Order, Revised*, is the the authority for parliamentary rules of procedure for all business meetings of the association.

Section 6. Visitors attending a quarterly or called meeting of the association may, by approval of the body, participate in debate without the privilege to vote. Visitors are welcome to attend the meetings of the association.

Article VI: Organization and Leadership

Section 1. The association is organized into five levels of operation: Governing, Personnel, Administrative Services, Mission Performance Programs and Fellowship Groups.

A. GOVERNING

1. The ASSOCIATION-IN-SESSION consists of the duly elected messengers by member churches and seated by vote of the messengers in attendance at each quarterly or called meeting of the association.
2. Churches of fifty (50) members or less are entitled to five (5) messengers. One (1) additional messenger is allowed for each additional fifty (50) church members or major fraction thereof provided no church has more than ten (10) messengers.
3. Churches are to elect their messengers before October each year so that the messengers can serve the full associational year from October 1 through September 30. Messengers can serve consecutive years but must be elected annually by their church. Messengers are expected to attend all of the quarterly and called meetings of the association. The name, address, and telephone number of each messenger should be delivered by the church clerk to the associational clerk no later than October 7 each year to facilitate advance registration. This information can accompany the annual church letter.
4. The functions of the messengers are to receive current information and reports about the work of the association and groups with which it is related; transact the business of the association; and report on the meetings and activities of the association to the churches.
5. A person serving as a messenger from a church must be a member in good standing of that church.

B. PERSONNEL

1. Positions:
 - a. The *Director of Missions* is the general leader of the association serving as the director of directors of all programs, ministries, and services of the association. In addition, the Director of Missions leads the association to explore new mission frontiers, and serves as a minister to the churches and church leaders.

The Director of Missions is the chief executive officer of the association and is an ex-officio member of all associational committees, councils, and groups. The Director serves as director of the Associational Council.

Election to this office is upon recommendation of the Director of Missions Search Committee and by two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association. The time of service is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the Director of Missions or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- b. The *Church Development Director* serves the association as the administrative leader and church consultant in the development of the programs of Brotherhood, Discipleship Training, Family Ministry, Media Library, Music Ministry, Recreation, Stewardship, Sunday School and Woman's Missionary Union. The person is to provide responsible leadership through planning, correlating, implementing and evaluating these assigned programs in cooperation with associational leadership. Training opportunities, counsel, and encouragement are to be offered for associational and church leaders as needed or requested. Other responsibilities include developing the Baptist Center Media Library in cooperation with the associational Librarian and Media Library Council, serving as editor of the Caldwell Baptist Caller, and working in other associational capacities as deemed necessary by the Director of Missions.

Election to this office is upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee and by two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association. The time of service is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the Church Development Director or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- c. The *Administrative Assistant* serves primarily in a secretarial role. However, this individual assists the Director of Missions with daily administrative matters of the association. In addition, the person supervises the general operation of the Baptist Center by answering the telephone, greeting visitors and helping to meet their needs. The Administrative Assistant supervises office help along with the Director of Missions. This person also serves as the Associational Clerk and as secretary of the Associational Council.

The Administrative Assistant is enlisted and recommended to the association by the Personnel Committee. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment.

The time of service for the Administrative Assistant is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the employee or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- d. A *Summer Worker* is to be hired each summer for approximately ten weeks of work. This person, normally a student, helps with general office work and does special projects as assigned by the Director of Missions.

The summer worker is enlisted and recommended to the association

by the Personnel Committee. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment.

- e. *Office Help* involves one or more persons serving as needed on an hourly pay basis. The individual(s) is/are to supply for the Administrative Assistant during leave times, such as vacation or sickness. Office help can be enlisted to assist the Administrative Assistant during peak work periods.

Office help is temporary and can be enlisted by the Administrative Assistant or the Director of Missions with the approval of the chairman of the Personnel Committee. The Personnel Committee can enlist office help if requested by the chairman of the committee. Office help does not have to be presented to the association for approval.

- f. *Custodial Services* are provided by one or more persons in order to keep the associational properties in a clean and acceptable condition. The person(s) to provide custodial services is/are jointly recommended by the Personnel and Properties Committees to the association. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment. The Properties Committee supervises the custodial services personnel.

The Properties Committee may hire temporary custodial services personnel without the approval of the Personnel Committee or the association; however, the chairman of the Personnel Committee is to be informed of such action.

The time of service for the ongoing custodian(s) is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel and Properties Committees by the employee or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers upon a joint recommendation of the Personnel and Properties Committees.

2. General:

- a. Each paid employee is to be provided by the Personnel Committee with an up-to-date job description of his responsibilities.
- b. The Director of Missions is the general supervisor of all paid employees of the association. However, the Director is to work closely with the committees and leaders who share supervision.
- c. The Personnel Committee or any other committee cannot recommend the Director of Missions, the Church Development Director, the Administrative Assistant or the custodian to the association for termination of duties without proper notice and a clear explanation of such action given to the individual prior to the associational meeting at which time the recommendation for dismissal is to be made.

A closing financial arrangement is to be provided for an employee who has been dismissed by the association. The Personnel Committee is to determine a fair closing financial arrangement and to make it a part of the recommendation for dismissal to the association.

The Summer Worker, Office Help and other temporary employees may be dismissed with clear explanation by the Personnel Committee without approval by the association. No closing financial arrangement is necessary.

C. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

1. This level of operation is made up of the committees and officers of the association. Their purpose is to carry out assigned work in order to help the association operate smoothly. There are twelve committees and five officers.
2. Committees:
 - a. The *Associational Meetings Committee* is responsible for planning and conducting the regular and called meetings of the association. The duties of this committee are to: (1) propose an order of business for each meeting of the association; (2) enlist all program personnel for the associational meetings; (3) publicize the order of business to the churches in advance of the meeting; (4) arrange for the facilities needed for each meeting; (5) arrange for and conduct proper registration of messengers and visitors at each meeting and to report registration as requested; and (6) recommend the meeting places to the messengers one year in advance of each meeting. The committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
 - b. The *Communications Committee* is responsible for communicating the programs, ministries, resolutions and services of the association to the churches and to the general public. Its duties are to: (1) develop and implement an annual Associational Emphasis Week promotion plan; (2) assist, as needed, with office-produced communications, such as: *The Book of Reports* and the *Annual Minutes*; (3) receive, review and recommend all proposed resolutions or public statements; (4) initiate resolutions or statements as needed; (5) develop promotional brochures or other literature that identifies the work of the association, and (6) assist, as requested by the association or associational leaders, in promoting or reporting the work and actions of the association through the secular media. The Communications Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
 - c. The *External Relations Committee* is responsible for establishing and maintaining proper relationships with groups outside the association. Its duties are to: (1) serve through individual representatives as a channel of communication between the association and the various agencies, boards, foundations, and other groups affiliated with the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention, and (2) communicate and work, as needed, with non-Baptist groups.

The *External Relations Committee* consists of three members, each elected for a three year term with the terms rotating, so that only one member is elected each year. Membership also includes the associational representatives of the American Bible Society, Annuity Board, Baptist Foundation, Christian Education, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, State Missions, N.C. Baptist Children's Homes, N.C. Baptist Hospital, N.C. Baptist Retirement Homes, and Religious Literature/Biblical Recorder. These representatives are elected for

three-year terms and are eligible for reelection for another term at the end of three years.

- d. The *Finance Committee* assists the association in securing, administering and reporting its finances. Its duties are to: (1) develop and recommend an overall financial development plan; (2) develop and recommend an associational budget based on the plans of the association's various programs and ministries; (3) plan and direct the effort to seek giving commitments from the churches; (4) conduct studies and make recommendations concerning proposed expenditures not included in the budget; (5) review expenditures periodically in terms of budget allocations and recommend budget adjustments if needed; (6) develop and recommend financial policies and procedures, including provisions for auditing; and (7) administer the associational "Minister's Support Fund."

The Finance Committee consists of six elected members, each elected for a three-year term with terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year. The Finance Committee chairman serves on the Associational Council.

- e. The *History Committee* is to gather, preserve, and interpret historical records of the association's life and work. Its duties are to: (1) work with the associational clerk in gathering and preserving past associational records; (2) assist in the recording of present-day activities; (3) communicate and interpret the heritage of the association to associational leaders and member churches; (4) use historical facts and documents to challenge the association to accomplish its mission; (5) develop and recommend to the association policies and procedures regarding its historical materials; (6) encourage churches to gather and preserve their historical records and to write, communicate, and interpret their history. The History Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
- f. The *Membership Committee* is to assist the association in determining when churches are of like faith and order and can be properly accepted into the association according to the provisions made in the Constitution of the association. Also, this committee serves as a "church conflict" advisory body. In addition, this committee encourages active participation by inactive churches in the association. The duties are to: (1) recommend and implement approved guidelines as needed for receiving churches into the association and for dealing with troubled member or inactive churches in the association; (2) counsel with churches seeking admission into the association and with troubled or inactive member churches; (3) examine the credentials of churches seeking admission into the association (namely, their articles of faith or doctrinal positions, church covenant, polity—including their constitution and bylaws—and relationship to the denomination. The Membership Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
- g. The *Nominating Committee* leads in coordinating the selection of all

association-elected leaders except paid personnel. Its duties are to: (1) select, interview, enlist, and recommend general associational officers, mission performance program directors, and committee chairmen and members; (2) coordinate the selection of workers for all the association's organizations and committees; (3) approve workers before they are invited to work in program organizations; (4) distribute associational leadership according to priority needs; (5) assist associational program leaders in discovering and enlisting qualified persons to fill positions in their respective organizations; (6) present workers to the association; (7) nominate special committees as assigned by the association.

The Nominating Committee consists of six members, one from each of the six associational districts, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year. The committee should give careful consideration that all nominees are selected fairly from all six districts of the association, and from all pastors, staff members, men and women of the churches. Each nominee must be a member in good standing in an associational church.

LEADERSHIP SELECTION

- (1) All Mission Performance Program directors are to be formally presented by the Nominating Committee for vote by the messengers at the January meeting of the association. In order to give the messengers adequate time to consider the nominees for program directors, the Nominating Committee is to prepare a complete list of the names and positions and have copies distributed to the messengers by the second Thursday in January.

The individuals approved at the January meeting of the association immediately become the program directors-elect until October when their tenure of service officially begins. The program directors-elect are approved to plan and to train for the upcoming year's work. Each program director-elect, unless the individual is the current program director, has no authority over the current year's program. The program directors-elect would meet with the Associational Council only upon request; however, each program director-elect is expected to participate in the annual calendar planning meeting.

- (2) Each program director-elect is to immediately start selecting individuals to serve on the respective program councils for the upcoming year. A complete list of the individuals selected to serve is to be presented to the Nominating Committee by March 31, by each program director-elect.
- (3) All officers, committee members, and all previously unelected program council members are to be formally presented by the Nominating Committee for vote by the messengers at the April meeting of the association. In order to give the messengers adequate time to consider the nominees, the Nominating

Committee is to prepare a complete list of the names and positions and have copies distributed to the messengers by the second Thursday of April.

The individuals approved at the April meeting of the association are the leaders “elect” until October 1 when their tenure of service officially begins. Each leader has the privilege to plan and to train as necessary for the upcoming year. The leaders “elect” have no authority over the current year’s work, except in a position currently held.

- (4) If vacancies occur during the year the Nominating Committee is to enlist a person to fill each vacated position and to recommend the person to the association. The committee is to work with program directors and committee chairmen as needed in filling each vacancy.
- h. The *Personnel Committee* is responsible for all paid employees of the association. Its duties are to: (1) recommend policies and procedures for the selection, supervision, and termination of associational personnel; (2) maintain up-to-date job descriptions in a manual for every paid position in the association; (3) recruit, interview, and recommend to the association new personnel, excluding the Director of Missions, in full cooperation with the appropriate supervisor; (4) develop and recommend salaries and benefits for employed personnel; (5) develop and recommend to the association policies and procedures regarding continuing education and development for the Director of Missions and other paid personnel. The Personnel Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
- i. The *Properties Committee* assists the association in the administration of all properties in Buncombe and Caldwell Counties. Its duties are to: (1) inspect and keep inventory of all associational properties; (2) make recommendations to the Personnel Committee regarding the employment, training, and supervision of maintenance personnel; (3) develop and initiate scheduled cleaning procedures; (4) develop and recommend a program of preventive maintenance; (5) develop and recommend policies and procedures for using facilities and equipment; (6) request and administer maintenance, furniture, and equipment budget; (7) develop and, with the trustees, recommend an adequate insurance plan for the properties. The Properties Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

This committee can spend up to \$500.00 on one item without approval of the association. Items above that amount must have associational approval.
- j. The *Search Committee* is designed to serve only as needed to secure a Director of Missions. The committee will consist of one pastor, one layman, one laywoman (all named by the Nominating Committee), plus the Moderator and Chairman of the Personnel Committee.

- k. The *Strategy Committee* assists the association in determining its strategic objectives and in staying on course in achieving them. Its duties are to: (1) monitor the needs and opportunities of the churches and provide updated information to the churches and to the associational programs annually; (2) recommend modifications in the organizational structure to help fulfill associational objectives; (3) review the association's constitution and bylaws and recommend modifications as needed; (4) maintain up-to-date job descriptions in a manual for every volunteer position in the association excluding paid workers; (5) lead the association to conduct strategy planning about every five years.

This committee works very closely with the Associational Council. The Strategy Committee Chairman is an active member of the Associational Council. The Strategy Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

- l. The *Trustees Committee* acts as the legal agent of the association. Its duties are to: (1) serve as legal representative of the association; (2) act as directed by the association in handling legal matters; (3) oversee the total insurance plan of the association; (4) hold in trust any property, money, endowment or other securities of the association; (5) exercise the power, under the instruction of the association, to hold, buy, sell, and convey property, both real and personal, and to sign all papers necessary for the purchase or conveyance. The Trustees Committee consists of six members each elected for a three-year term with terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

3. Officers:

- a. The *Moderator* presides over the quarterly and called meetings of the association. As the presiding officer, the Moderator opens the meetings punctually at the appointed time, enforces the rules, preserves the order, and exercises all the prerogatives of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parliamentary usage. The Moderator, may if desired, appoint a parliamentarian to serve at any or all meetings of the association during his term of office. The person is to be approved by the messengers-in-session.

The Moderator is elected for a one-year term and is eligible for election to a second consecutive term. However, after serving for two consecutive years, the individual could not be considered for Moderator for a least one year. The Moderator is an ex-officio member of all committees, councils, and groups of the association.

- b. It is the duty of the *Vice-Moderator* to discharge the duties of the Moderator in the absence or at the request of the Moderator. The Vice-Moderator is elected for a one-year term, and is eligible to a second consecutive term. However, after serving for two consecutive years, the individual could not be considered for Vice-Moderator for a least one year.
- c. The *Clerk* records and keeps in permanent form all transactions of

the association and makes this information available upon request. The Clerk's duties are to: (1) serve as recorder during the meetings of the association; (2) secure from the churches the annual Uniform Church Letter and process it according to recommended procedures; (3) edit the associational annual minutes; (4) work with the History Committee to preserve the official records of the association; (5) train and assist church clerks. The Administrative Assistant serves as the Clerk of the association.

- d. The *Treasurer* receives all of the funds contributed to the association and disburses them in accordance with the budget of the association or for which the funds were contributed. The Treasurer's duties are to: (1) serve as an ex-officio member of the Finance Committee; (2) work with the Finance Committee to recommend and establish fiscal policies; (3) maintain proper records of all monies received and disbursed; (4) provide printed quarterly and annual reports to the association of all receipts and disbursements. The Treasurer is elected annually and can succeed himself. The chairman of the Finance Committee is authorized to fulfill the duties of the treasurer in the event the treasurer is unable to do so.
- e. The *Director of Missions* is an officer of the association.

D. MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAMS

1. The work of the Mission Performance Programs of the association is carried out through councils. Each council member has definite responsibilities and the number of members on each council is determined by need. Council members are elected annually. The general director of each council serves as an ex-officio member of the Associational Council. Each council has meetings according to need. Each council consists of a program director and other leaders as needed to conduct the program.
2. Councils:
 - a. The *Brotherhood Council* assists churches in educating and involving men and boys in missions.
 - b. The *Christian Life Council* informs the churches of critical moral and social issues and leads in Christian action to meet those needs. The council seeks to develop good Christian citizenship and healthy human relations.
 - c. The *Discipleship Training Council* assists the churches in starting, improving and expanding Christian discipleship through their Discipleship Training programs.
 - d. The *Evangelism Council* assists churches in reaching people for Christ through evangelistic training and by bringing the churches together in corporate efforts of evangelism.
 - e. The *Family Ministry Council* assists churches in developing family ministry programs. Special emphasis is placed on ministry activities for preschoolers, children, youth, adults and students. Training opportunities are provided for general leaders of these age groups.
 - f. The *Media/Library Council* assists churches in the establishment,

- development and improvement of church media library services. In addition, the council is responsible for organizing and operating the associational Media Library in the Baptist Center.
- g. The *Missions Development Council* leads the churches to discover opportunities for associational, state, home and foreign missions and to assist the churches in doing mission projects individually and corporately. The council works closely with the Brotherhood, Sunday School and W.M.U. Councils.
 - h. The *Music Ministry Council* assists churches through establishing, conducting, enlarging and improving their music ministries.
 - i. The *Pastoral Ministries Council* assists the churches in the development of pastoral ministries, deacon ministry, vocational guidance and church administrative services. In addition, the council ministers to the distinctive needs of pastors, deacons, church staff persons, church councils, church officers and committee members and church vocation volunteers. This council is responsible for interviewing candidates for ordination to the "Gospel Ministry" as requested by the churches.
 - j. The *Prayer Council* is responsible for promoting prayer in the churches, providing opportunities for prayer among the churches, and offering conferences and seminars on prayer.
 - k. The *Recreation Council* assists churches in providing recreation methods, materials, services, and experiences and is available to other associational organizations wishing to use recreation in accomplishing their particular tasks.
 - l. The *Seminary Extension Council* promotes and provides practical and theological education to ministers and laypersons on basic and college levels.
 - m. The *Stewardship Council* assists the churches in the development of individual and corporate stewardship.
 - n. The *Sunday School Council* assists and challenges churches to improve and enlarge all areas of their Sunday School through planning, training, administration activities, consultation, program interpretation, and cooperative projects.
 - o. The *Woman's Missionary Union Council* assists churches in promoting missions and in establishing, enlarging, and strengthening W.M.U. work.

E. FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

1. The purpose of the Fellowship Groups is to provide a setting for particular groups to meet together for fellowship, dialogue, encouragement and mutual care. Hopefully, as the individual groups meet together the fellowship of the whole association can be strengthened. The head leader of each fellowship group is an ex-officio member of the Associational Council. Each group determines its own leadership and activities.
2. Groups:
 - a. The *Church Secretaries' Fellowship Group* includes all Caldwell Baptist church and denominational secretaries.
 - b. The *Ministers' Conference Fellowship Group* includes all pastors, bi-

vocational pastors, church staff ministers, other ministers and retired ministers in the association.

- c. The *Ministers Wives' Fellowship Group* includes all the wives of active, deceased, or retired ministers in the association.
- d. The *Music Leaders' Fellowship Group* includes all paid and volunteer ministers of music, directors of music, organists, pianists, and other music leadership in the churches and the association. This group cooperates with the Music Ministry Council of the association.
- e. The *Retired Ministers' Fellowship Group* includes all retired Southern Baptist ministers and their spouses living in the associational area.
- f. The *Youth Leaders' Fellowship Group* consists of all paid and volunteer ministers of youth, youth directors and other youth leaders in the churches of the association. The Associational Youth Director of the Family Ministry Council serves as a member of this group.

Section 2. Associational Council

- A. The council consists of the general directors of all mission performance programs, the associational officers, the associational office staff, the heads of each fellowship group, and the chairmen of the Finance and Strategy Committees. Other committee chairmen can be asked to meet with the council as needed. The Director of Missions serves as the council director.
- B. The purpose of the council is to coordinate the overall program and calendar of the association.
- C. The council should meet at least once every other month for a minimum number of six meetings per year. The time and place for the meetings are to be set by the council.

Section 3. Every committee, council or fellowship group has the authority to appoint temporary sub-groups to carry out specific assignments as needed. The sub-group ceases to exist at the completion of the assignment. Permanent, but not temporary, sub-groups must be suggested to and approved by the Nominating Committee and then by the messengers of the association.

Section 4. Every associational committee and council is to choose a secretary to record the proceedings of each meeting.

Section 5. Associational leaders and representatives are responsible for presenting written and/or verbal reports to the association as requested.

Section 6. An up-to-date "Organizational Chart" is to be maintained to visibly reveal the overall associational operation.

Section 7. A "Job Descriptions Manual" is to be maintained by the Personnel and Strategy Committees to provide current and thorough descriptions for each paid and volunteer position in the association.

Section 8. Each ex-officio member serving on a council, committee or group is entitled to full voting rights.

Section 9. The General Board members of the Baptist State Convention from the Caldwell Association are to represent the association to the State Convention and vice-versa. The Board members are encouraged to report to the association about Board actions.

Article VII: Printed Material

Section 1. A monthly newsletter known as the "Caldwell Baptist Caller" is published to communicate information about the work of and matters of interest to the association.

Section 2. The *Annual Minutes* are prepared to serve as a record of information about the association.

Section 3. An "Associational Directory" is prepared annually and updated quarterly to provide information on who are associational leaders, church leaders, and other persons of interest to the association and how to contact them.

Section 4. A "Calendar of Activities" is prepared annually to inform the churches of upcoming events in or related to the association.

Section 5. Reports to the association and promotional pieces about the work of the association are printed as needed.

Section 6. Each member church is expected to prepare and deliver to the associational clerk the annual "Uniform Church Letter" by October 7 each year.

Article VIII: Amendments

These Bylaws may be amended by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present at any quarterly meeting of the association provided that the amendment was presented in written or typed form to the clerk and publicly stated to the messengers by the moderator or his designee at the preceeding quarterly meeting of the association. Typed copies of the amendment are to be furnished to the current messengers of the association for study at least two weeks prior to a vote on the amendment.

Constitution and Bylaws
Caldwell Baptist Association

Revised: September 23, 1988
(1988 Annual Minutes)

Amended: October 27, 1989
(Clerk's Report, Annual Meeting — Third Session Proceedings, No. 6)

1988-89 GENERAL BOARD MEMBERS

**Baptist State Convention of North Carolina
from**

Caldwell Baptist Association

Dr. Billy G. Rivers
109 Optimist Avenue, CB-59-2
Hudson, North Carolina 28638
Phone: 728-4297

Mr. Brad Wilson
423 Highland Avenue, S.W.
Lenoir, North Carolina 28645
Phone: 754-9773

MISSIONARIES FROM THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

AFRICA:

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ford, Box 385, Limuru, Kenya East Africa (Union Grove Church)

Rev. & Mrs. Tom Small, P. O. Box HG-621-Highlands, Harare, Zimbabwe, West Africa (FBC Hudson)

Ms. Stella Austin, retired, 1052-6 Cedar Hills Apt., Lenoir, NC 28645 Tel. 758-7604 (Kings Creek Church)

BRAZIL:

Mrs. Hilda Cowsert, RUA Uruguai 514 App. 203, 20510 Rio de Janeiro RJ, Brazil, S.A. (Concord Church)

Rev. & Mrs. J. Guy Key, La Igreja Batista de Santos, Praca Jose Bonifacio 11-Centro, 11100 Santos, Sp. Brazil, S.A. (Mrs. Key is Hilda Cowsert's daughter)

Rev. & Mrs. Craig Steele, Caixa Postal, 18.741, 04.699 Sao Paulo, SP Brazil (Lower Creek Church) now on furlough at: 238 West 7th Street, Cookeville, TN 38501 (615)528-8708

Rev. & Mrs. Wayne Sorrels, now serving Ninevah Baptist Church; P. O. Box 6, Waynesville, NC 28786 (Flemings Chapel Church)

ECUADOR:

Rev. & Mrs. Dennis Herman, Casilla 4724, Quito, Ecuador, SA (Union Grove Church)

PHILIPPINES:

Mrs. Lin (Faye Turnmire) Fincannon, 756 Oakland Dr., Elkin, NC 28621 Tel. (919) 835-3381

Rev. & Mrs. Wayne Pennell, P. O. Box 183, Butuan City, Philippines (FBC, Whitnel)

GAZA (Journeyman):

Mrs. David (Carolyn Hart) Sizemore, 2600 Lake Street, Hemet, Calif. 92343. (Lower Creek Church)

JORDAN:

Rev. & Mrs. Roger Wall, c/o Mr. Graydon Hardister, P.O. Box 17147, Amman, Jordan (Mt. Carmel Church)

SERVING IN ANOTHER STATE:

Miss Maxine Bumgarner, W.M.U. Director of West Virginia, 801 Sixth Ave., St. Albans, West Virginia 25177 (Temple Hill Church)

HOME MISSION BOARD:

Miss Ella Keller, retired, 41 Crestview Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630 Tel. (704) 396-4330 (FBC Granite Falls)

Mrs. Christine (Hastings) Braidwood, a US-2 Served in Atlanta, Georgia at a Baptist Center (Calvary Church)

Miss Judy Bailey, P.O. Box 754, Wilson, Wyoming 83014. Teaches and works with missionaries there. (North Catawba Church)

DIRECTORS OF MISSIONS:

Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Caldwell Baptist Association, 208 Nu-Way Circle, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (Mt. Zion Church)

Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell, retired, 516 Main Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (Mt. Zion Church)

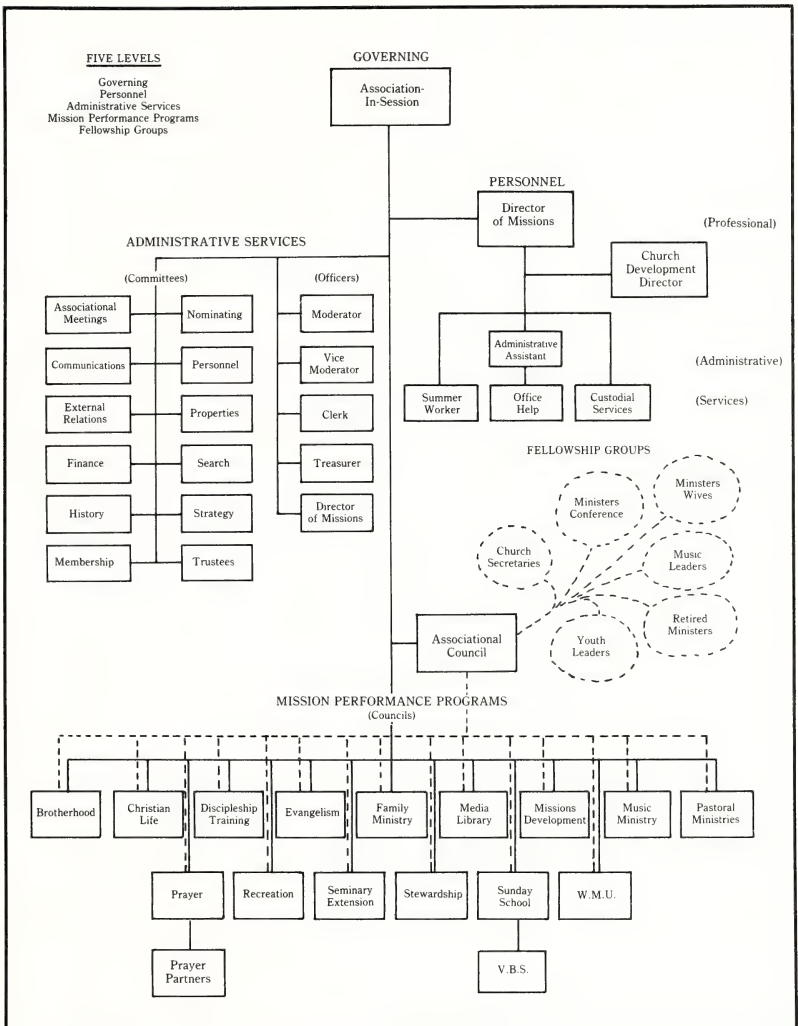
Rev. Jake Phillips, retired, Covington Association, Andalusia, Alabama

Rev. J.W. Myers, retired, Route 3, Box 350, Granite Falls, NC 28630. Served the Cheoh and Tennessee River Association (Oak Grove Church)

Rev. Worth Braswell, deceased. Wife — Mrs. Lena Braswell, Route 1, Box 66-A, Hudson, NC 28638 (FBC Hudson)

Mrs. J.D. (Ruth Keller) Craig, served Caldwell Association 3 years. 42 Link Drive, Granite Falls, NC 28630

Organizational Chart



Effective: October 1, 1988

OTHER MINISTERS

MINISTERS LICENSED 1988-89

Fellowship	Charles L. Fox 54 McDowell Drive, Wake Forest, NC 27587
Grandview Park	W. Ronald Rogers Route 7, Box 481-B, Lenoir, NC 28645
Harrisburg	Dennis Geouge
Meadowbrook	Larry Reece 118 Rankin Court, Wake Forest, NC 28587
Mt. Carmel	Floyd Bumgarner Route 3, Box 860, Hudson, NC 28638

MINISTERS ORDAINED 1988-89

Baton	Rex Brown Route 2, Box 347, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Cajahs Mountain	Danny Messer Route 2, Box 13, Hudson, NC 28638
Concord	Terry Crouse 37 Falls Avenue, Granite Falls, NC 28630 Allen Roberts Brookdale Baptist Church, Siler City, NC 27344
Crest View	Brooks Walker Route 3, Box 307, Lenoir, NC 28645
Flemings Chapel	Michael Patton
Grandview Park	W. Ronald Rogers Route 7, Box 481-B, Lenoir, NC 28645
Kings Creek	Tony L. Johnson Route 1, Box 448, Lenoir, NC 28645
Piney Grove	Kevin Holder 3104 Lyndhurst Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Union Grove	Clarence A. Beane Route 3, Box 185-A, Lenoir, NC 28645
West Lenoir	Rudolph Caulder 3119 Spencer Heights, Lenoir, NC 28645

OTHER ORDAINED MINISTERS IN THE CHURCHES

Calvary	Rev. Jim Price P. O. Box 5611, Lenoir, NC 28645 Rev. Vance Triplett Route 13, Box 582-A, Lenoir, NC 28645
Cedar Rock	Rev. Melvin Maltba Rev. Raymond Correll
Clarks Chapel	Rev. Harold Beane P. O. Box 261, Hudson, NC 28638
Clarks Chapel	Rev. E. L. Brown 154 Rural Retreat, Lenoir, NC 28645
Clearview	Rev. William Quinn Route 2, Box 682, Lenoir, NC 28645

Concord	Rev. Don Abernathy P. O. Box 1121, Icard, NC 28666 Rev. Keith Starnes 402 Dudley Shoals Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Crest View	Dr. Dale Larew Route 2, Box 211-A2, Hudson, NC 28638
Dudley Shoals	Rev. Ted Starnes Route 6, Box 1332, Hickory, NC 28601
Fellowship	Rev. Basil Carswell 557 Circle Drive, C-21-05, Hudson, NC 28638
Granite Falls FBC	Rev. Audley Frazier 2 Providence Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Harris Chapel	Rev. Jim Privette 127 Pleasant Hill Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Lakeview	Rev. Robert Brown 202 Floral Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Lenoir FBC	Rev. Fred D. Barnes 101 Piccadilly Lane, Lenoir, NC 28645 Rev. Edwin D. Price 418 Norwood Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 Rev. David K. Rowan 1000 Branglewood Court, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 Rev. Phillip King 919 Plantation Drive, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645
Lower Creek	Rev. Lawrence Robertson 507 Kentwood Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
Meadowbrook	Rev. J. B. Crouse 2513 Central Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 Rev. Don Loss 186 Wildwood Road, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645
Mulvale	Rev. Gene S. Clarke 5506 Beacon Hills, Lenoir, NC 28645
Rocky Springs	Rev. Tommy Coffey Star Route, Box 79, Lenoir, NC 28645
West Lenoir	Rev. Cecil GRagg 123 Edgebrook Place, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
Yadkin	Rev. Gary James 103 Tranquil Hills, Lenoir, NC 28645

RETIRED ORDAINED MINISTERS

Central	Rev. J.H. Crisp 1037 Connelly Spgs. Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Clarks Chapel	Rev. Paul Wilson 325 Clarks Chapel Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 Rev. McLendon H. Jamison Route 11, Box 410-J, Morganton, NC 28655
Concord	Rev. Bobby Hollar 66 Woodlane Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Crest View	Rev. Bernard Tuttle 112 Wayside Circle, Lenoir, NC 28645

Dry Ponds	Rev. Paul Hopkins c/o Camelot Resthome #2, Granite Falls, NC 28630 Rev. Willard Jenkins Route 1, Box 225, Hudson, NC 28638
Dudley Shoals	Rev. Gordon Pope P. O. Box 689, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Friendship	Rev. Howard Barnes Route 2, Box 448-B, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Grandview Park	Rev. Sam Silver Route 6, Box 276, Lenoir, NC 28645
Granite Falls First	Rev. Grant Miller P.O. Box 154, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Kings Creek	Rev. L. Ray Davis Route 1, Box 451, Lenoir, NC 28645
Lakeview	Rev. Grady Matheson 257 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Lenoir First	Rev. J.E. Ledbetter 1018 Ashe Avenue, N.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
Lower Creek	Rev. Frank Colburn 802 Pennell Street, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645
Meadowbrook	Rev. Clifton Tuttle 124 Wayside Circle, N.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
Mountain View	Rev. A. J. Singley 268-D North Fairview Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Oak Grove	Rev. J.W. Myers Route 3, Box 350, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Piney Grove	Rev. Walter Dula Route 5, Box 218, Lenoir, NC 28645
Whitnel First	Rev. R.B. Burnett 168 Walt Arney Road, Lenoir, NC 28645

STATISTICAL TABLES

Table A—Church Membership and Other Information

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TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION																		
YEAR ENDING Sept., 20____ 1989 (Month & Day)																		
PASTORS & ADDRESSES INCLUDE ZIP CODES																		
Suite	Ctry.	State	Zip															
North Carolina	Lenoir	NC	28645															
District of Association Missions																		
Rev. R. Dale Fisher																		
Address																		
P.O. Box 1555																		
Granite Falls First	Robert B. Evans, Jr., 47 Crestview Street, Granite Falls, N.C.	Calwell	N	-	1888	Y	1975	1890	3	Y	-	-	-	13	9	20	526	167
Green Rock	Did not receive a letter	Calwell	N	-	1889	Y	1989											
Green Valley	None	Calwell	N	-	1888	Y	1988											
Harris Chapel	Garry J. Hardin, Route 2, Box 393, Hudson, N.C. 28638	Calwell	Y	1974	1912	4	Y	-	10	4	2	-	26	17	27	2,236	-	96
Harrsburg	Ted Williams, Route 3, Box 56, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Calwell	Y	1980	1979	7	Y	-	-	2	2	2	-	6	13	6	155	17
Hartland	David L. Giffin, Route 7, Box 207, Morganton, N.C. 28655	Burke	Y	1979	1938	1	Y	-	1	2	-	-	-	3	10	3	309	9
Hibriten	Douglas Cox, 1105 Applagatche Court, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Calwell	Y	1974	1951	7	Y	1	2	2	3	2	1	-	11	3	14	410
Hudson First	Billy G. Rivers, 109 Optimist Avenue, CB-59-2, Hudson, N.C.	Calwell	Y	1982	1831	4	Y	-	1	-	3	-	-	4	12	45	722	250
Johns River	Did not receive a letter	Calwell		1884														
Kings Creek	Bob Lowman, Jr., Route 1, Box 444, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Calwell	Y	1989	1779	1	Y	-	-	3	1	-	-	4	12	66	277	104
Lakeview	W. Howard Hawkins, 2618 Hogan Street, S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Calwell	Y	1978	1959	3	Y	-	6	-	-	3	-	9	6	7	190	138
Lenoir First	David B. Smith, P.O. Box 636, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Calwell	Y	1989	1889	5	Y	-	5	6	2	-	-	13	21	9	531	232
Liberty	Did not receive a letter	Calwell		1946														
Livingston Memorial	Jerry D. Smith, Route 1, Box 305, Boomer, N.C. 28606	Calwell	Y	1989	1956	1	Y	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	94	94
Love Lady	Did not receive a letter	Calwell		1864														
Lower Creek	Joel M. Sellers, 633 Lower Creek Drive, N.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Calwell	Y	1984	1826	6	Y	-	2	10	2	-	4	-	18	32	37	611
Meadowbrook	None	Calwell	N	-	1965	6	Y	-	-	3	1	6	-	-	10	9	8	480
Miller Hill	David Buchanan, 2512 Brentwood Circle, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Calwell	Y	1987	1935	6	Y	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	2	-	14	370
Mountain Grove	Clifford Black, Route 2, Box 263, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	Calwell	Y	1986	1884	2	Y	-	2	7	7	8	6	1	31	86	61	876
Mountain View	Rex Brown, Route 2, Box 347, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	Calwell	Y	1989	1948	1	Y	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	3	4	1	44
Mt. Carmel	J.C. Dugger, 20 Dugger Street, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	Calwell	Y	1981	1970	1	Y	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	98
Mt. Zion	Glenn Walker, Route 3, Box 345, Hudson, N.C. 28638	Calwell	Y	1986	1889	3	Y	-	1	3	1	-	1	2	8	21	20	638
Milberry	Bennett Helton, Route 3, Box 527, Hudson, N. C. 28638	Calwell	Y	1982	1853	1	Y	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	2	32	75
Mulvale	Paul White, Jr., Route 10, Box 409, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Calwell	Y	1987	1941	1	Y	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	3	6	2
Nelsons Chapel	John DeKauro, Route 8, Box A-214, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	Calwell	Y	1986	1905	1	Y	-	-	3	2	-	-	1	6	4	14	130
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Table B—Sunday School

TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL										YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1989									
Association Calwell II										(Month & Day)									
State North Carolina										City									
Association Rev. Douglas Jordan										State North Carolina									
Address 633 Lower Creek Drive										Zip 28645									
SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES INCLUDE ZIP CODE																			
CHURCHES																			
Baton	Brooks Barber, Route 2, Box 410-B, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	6	4	24	11	20	1	55	24	1	149	101	Y	-	85	-			
Bethany	None Listed	-	-	-	5	-	-	27	-	-	32	30	-	-	-	-			
Blairs Fork	Ron Enslly, Route 5, Box 371, Lenoir, N. C. 28645	-	35	50	16	8	16	35	8	-	183	150	Y	-	250	-			
Buffalo Cove	Ralph Smith, Route 5, Box 417-B, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	5	8	11	2	4	11	15	-	58	34	N	-	42	-			
Cajahs Mountain	Harold Younce, 517 Hickory Street, Apt. 18, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	8	7	10	5	11	48	6	-	112	65	20	Y	75	-			
Calvary	Mike Nelson, 211-A Elizabeth Street, N.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	28	28	20	8	14	90	34	-	226	226	30	Y	72	-			
Cedar Rock	Gary Robbins, 170 Spring Meadow Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	4	6	11	2	6	12	23	-	66	59	Y	-	32	-			
Center Grove	Harold Winkler, Route 3, Box 1120, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	20	29	20	7	7	70	25	-	181	132	N	-	91	-			
Central	Rick Jordan, 410-1 River Haven Drive, Taylorsville, N.C. 28681	-	37	41	28	10	106	35	-	-	111	268	-	-	-	-			
Clarks Chapel	Daryl Wilcox, 3-A Hickory Avenue, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	15	14	15	7	11	37	25	-	3	127	90	N	56	32			
Clearview	J.D. Eard, Pine Mountain Road, Hudson, N.C. 28638	2	11	42	19	-	7	40	30	-	4	101	256	235	Y	138			
Clover	Allen Bolick, P.O. Box 370, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	17	51	34	12	32	110	69	6	4	341	133	Y	185	68			
College Avenue	Joe Pritchard, 717 Pennell Street, N.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	4	50	77	87	43	49	180	142	1	60	26	8	727	292	Y			
Concord	Wade Yount, Sr., Route 3, Box 323, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	32	57	56	55	79	102	34	-	20	8	-	443	180	Y			
Conways Chapel	R.A. Annas, Route 7, Box 21, Morganton, N.C. 28655	-	-	7	3	-	4	17	5	-	-	3	-	39	26	N			
Crest View	Larry Alley, Route 5, Box 34AA, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	41	59	56	16	84	110	44	-	3	413	148	Y	159	12			
Dry Ponds	Blake Yost, Route 2, 6 Jett Drive, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	6	26	56	12	12	52	52	35	-	4	3	258	146	N	125			
Dudley Shoals	Bob Causby, Route 1, Box 439-A, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630	-	80	82	59	42	22	217	59	-	9	8	7	585	325	Y			
Edgemont	None Listed	-	1	4	-	-	4	6	3	-	-	-	18	35	N	-			
Fellowship	David Green, 501 Lincoln Avenue, S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	3	32	22	36	22	11	100	22	-	-	3	251	99	N	109			
Fleming Chapel	Danny Kincaid, 305 Calicoo Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	13	23	24	9	8	75	15	-	18	5	-	190	140	Y			
Friendship	James Fox, Route 2, Box 466-DJ, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	46	56	53	18	68	131	-	-	-	9	-	381	192	Y			
Globe	Did not receive a letter															10			
Grandin	Oecil Bowlin, 214 Whimel Place, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	2	3	-	9	-	4	6	-	-	2	-	26	15	N			
Granbow Park	Wade Hafner, 349 Calicoo Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	4	-	4	3	-	15	17	-	35	4	-	82	30	N			
TOTALS																			
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS																			
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TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL		YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1988		MONTH & DAY		YEAR	
Association	Caldwell	City	State	Zip	City	State	Zip
Suite	North Carolina	North Carolina	North Carolina	28645	North Carolina	North Carolina	28645
Address	631 Lower Creek Drive	631 Lower Creek Drive	631 Lower Creek Drive	631 Lower Creek Drive	631 Lower Creek Drive	631 Lower Creek Drive	631 Lower Creek Drive
CHURCHES	CHURCHES	CHURCHES	CHURCHES	CHURCHES	CHURCHES	CHURCHES	CHURCHES
Granite Falls First	Audley Praeger, 2 Providence Street, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	17	13	25	43	30	36
Green Rock	Did not receive a letter						
Green Valley	Richard A. Coffey, Star Route, Box 78, Collettsville, N.C.						
Harris Chapel	Ralph Pope, Route 2, Box 393, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	2	5	4	-	3
Harrisburg	Tom Watson, 205 Walt Arney Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	3	6	20	8	8	10
Hartland	Brathel Pouch, Route 7, Hartland Road, Morganton, N.C. 28655	-	9	8	16	2	11
Hibriten	Herman Mann, 1261 Oaklawn Street, S.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	10	34	20	-	21
Hudson First	Thomas Land, Jr., 300 Emerald Street, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	42	65	55	78	83
Johns River	Did not receive a letter						
Kings Creek	Miss Dare Teague, Route 1, Box 210, Boomer, N.C. 28606	-	17	26	24	10	8
Lakewood	Gerald Hawkins, 518 Scroggys Street, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	18	12	12	17	27
Lenoir First	David Gray, 1023 Bramblewood Court, N.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	32	39	13	-	10
Liberty	Did not receive a letter						
Livingston Memorial	Kip Edwards, P.O. Box 1683, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	2	2	4	6	3	8
Lovelady	Did not receive a letter						
Lower Creek	Tom Franks, Route 1, Box 478-P, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	50	60	60	35	23
Madisonbrook	Howard Moore, Route 10, Box 744, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	16	25	40	31	23	24
Miller Hill	Connel Houk, Route 2, Box 546, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	14	30	25	12	10
Mountain Grove	Michael White, P.O. Box 323, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	1	56	72	75	38
Mountain View	Douglas T. Clark, Route 10, Box 256, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	-	3	3	2	-
Mt. Carmel	Dennis Mullinax, Route 3, Box 984, Hudson, N.C. 28638	7	6	8	15	-	-
Mt. Zion	Away Lail, P.O. Box 621, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	60	111	93	92	42
Mulberry	Gene Swanson, 321 Tranquil Hills, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	2	6	4	7	8
Mulvale	None Listed	-	-	15	7	-	-
Norfolk Chapel	Bete Bradshaw, P.O. Box 64, Patterson, N.C. 28661	-	10	15	8	-	9
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TOTALS							
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS							

TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL		YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1989		Month & Day																			
Association		Caldwell																					
State		North Carolina		Zip																			
Associated Sunday School Director		Rev. Douglas Jordan																					
Address		633 Lower Creek Drive		Zip																			
City		Lenoir		State																			
SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)																							
CHURCHES																							
New Life	Did not receive a letter	-	25	29	28	12	57	23	-	18	7	-	219	131	-	Y	-	213	-	-	-	-	-
North Catawba	Clyde Poole, Route 2, Box 352-B, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	12	12	16	5	14	35	33	-	3	-	130	88	-	Y	-	93	-	-	-	-	-
Oak Grove	Daniel R. Reid, Route 3, Box 319, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	3	6	1	-	-	12	1	-	-	-	23	18	-	N	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Open Door Mission	None listed	-	8	8	15	16	13	19	18	-	10	4	-	111	80	-	N	-	58	-	-	-	-
Piney Grove	James Winkler, Route 5, Box 268, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Pineygh	Did not receive a letter	-	15	16	22	-	27	53	18	-	5	-	156	90	-	Y	-	75	-	-	-	-	-
Pooeys Chapel	Jerrrell Laws, Route 1, Box 220-MA, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	14	24	17	6	19	36	25	6	4	-	157	85	-	Y	-	35	-	-	-	-	-
Pooeys Grove	Oscar Mise, 412 Mize Road, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	24	26	30	-	38	31	15	-	4	-	168	103	-	Y	-	140	-	-	-	-	-
Rhodias First	John Coffey, 8 Chestnut Street, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	11	13	13	4	4	22	18	-	2	-	87	51	-	N	-	63	-	-	-	-	-
Rocky Springs	James Hayes, Route 7, Box 392, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	1	1	2	2	2	10	10	-	-	-	28	20	-	N	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rufus	Elmer Quinn, 110-A Plymouth Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	18	29	15	21	18	18	35	-	4	5	163	110	-	Y	-	102	-	-	-	-	-
Setzers Creek	Paul Rappard, Route 5, Box 725, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	21	25	48	10	44	64	52	-	4	-	268	-	-	Y	-	141	-	-	-	-	-
Sunrise	Burl Smith, Route 3, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	10	10	37	38	10	30	43	44	-	4	226	144	-	N	-	151	-	-	-	-	-
Temple Hill	Bonnie Childress, Route 1, Box 478, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	10	29	32	7	41	41	37	-	4	-	196	107	-	N	-	70	-	-	-	-	-
Union	Boyd Reid, Route 2, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	27	37	23	14	36	118	-	-	7	-	262	161	-	Y	-	159	-	-	-	-	-
Union Grove	Marshall Boon, 316 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	37	33	52	23	10	156	43	-	6	-	360	272	-	Y	-	133	-	-	-	-	-
West Lenoir	Joe Cook, 922 Pinecrest Place, N.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	61	49	40	24	65	127	62	-	2	15	-	445	235	-	N	1	197	75	-	-	-
Whitnel First	Jerry Armwood, 202 Magnolia Street, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	23	26	49	16	26	93	36	-	16	6	-	291	159	-	N	-	100	-	-	-	-
Yackin	Mrs. Anne Nichols, P.O. Box 171, Patterson, N.C. 28661	-	-	13	4	3	5	-	35	-	-	-	60	45	-	N	-	90	-	-	-	-	-
Yackin Valley	Avril Greene, Hallwood Ridge Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	5	9	17	23	12	39	25	-	5	-	147	117	-	Y	-	142	-	-	-	-	-
Zacks Fork	Roger Baldwin, P.O. Box 1048, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
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TABLE 8 SUNDAY SCHOOL					YEAR ENDING - Sept. 30, 1989		(Month & Day)																		
Association		Caldwell																							
State		North Carolina																							
Association		Sunder Street Wesleyan																							
Address		633 Lower Creek Drive																							
City		Lenoir																							
State		North Carolina																							
Zip		28645																							
SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTIONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)																									
Granite Falls First	Audley Frazier, 2 Providence Street, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	17	13	25	43	30	36	40	123	1	10	4	1	341	155	1	124	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Green Rock	Did not receive a letter																								
Green Valley	Richard A. Coffey, Star Route, Box 78, Collettsville, N.C.			2	5	4		3	3	6		2	3		28	22		46							
Harris Chapel	Ralph Pope, Route 2, Box 393, Hudson, N.C. 28638		109	278	179	72	102	238	60		6	5	235	304			462								
Harrisburg	Tom Watson, 205 Walt Arney Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	3	6	20	8	8	10	38	18			3		114	62		110								
Hartland	Brathel Pouch, Route 7, Hartland Road, Morganton, N.C. 28655			9	8	16	2	11	50	18		3		117	82		62								
Hibriten	Herman Mann, 1261 Oaklawn Street, S.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645		10	34	20		21	38	12		4		139	96			103								
Hudson First	Thomas Land, Jr., 300 Emerald Street, Hudson, N.C. 28638		42	65	55	78	83	141	130	13	33	8		648	286		113								
Johns River	Did not receive a letter																								
Kings Creek	Miss Dare Teague, Route 1, Box 210, Boomer, N.C. 28606		17	26	24	10	8	44	40		25	5		199	107		115								
Lakeview	Gerald Hawkins, 518 Scroggins Street, Lenoir, N.C. 28645		18	12	12	17	27	40	22			3		151	61		64								
Lenoir First	David Gray, 1023 Bramblewood Court, N.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645		32	39	13		10	147	61			8		310	190		120								
Liberty	Did not receive a letter																								
Livingston Memorial	Kip Edwards, P.O. Box 1683, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	2	2	4	6	3	8	19	9			3		56	40		70								
Lovelady	Did not receive a letter																								
Lower Creek	Tom Franks, Route 1, Box 478-P, Lenoir, N.C. 28645		50	60	60	35	23	224	123		17	6		598	303		207								12
Meadowbrook	Howard Moore, Route 10, Box 744, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	16	25	40	31	23	24	134	36		5	4		338	206	14	190								
Miller Hill	Connel Houk, Route 2, Box 546, Hudson, N.C. 28638		14	30	25	12	10	47	42		6	4		190	86		97								
Mountain Grove	Michael White, P.O. Box 323, Hudson, N.C. 28638		1	56	72	75	38	126	272	98	40	16	5	799			201								
Mountain View	Douglas T. Clark, Route 10, Box 256, Lenoir, N.C. 28645			3	3	2		8	4			2		22	18		32								
Mt. Cammel	Dennis Mullinax, Route 3, Box 984, Hudson, N.C. 28638	7	6	8	15			20				4		60	30		50								
Mr. Zion	Audrey Lail, P.O. Box 621, Hudson, N.C. 28638		60	111	93	92	42	196	80		6	8		688	266		262								150
Mulberry	Gene Swanson, 321 Tranquil Hills, Lenoir, N.C. 28645		2	6	4	7	8	35	14			2		78	62		64								
Mulvale	Nape Listed			15	7			25	11			7		65	42		51								
Mulvane Chapel	Pete Bradshaw, P.O. Box 64, Patterson, N.C. 28661		10	15	8		9	8	8			8	3		69	41		54							
TOTALS																									
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS																									

Table C—Church Training

TABLE C CHURCH TRAINING				YEAR ENDING		September 30, 1988														
Association						(Month & Day)														
State																				
North Carolina																				
Ravenscroft Church Training Director																				
Address				City	State	Zip														
345 Clarks Chapel Road				Lenoir	North Carolina	28645														
CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESS (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)																				
CHURCHES							74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	
							Pretchool enrollment (5 years and under - not in school)	Children enrollment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Adult enrollment (18 and over)	Equipment Centers	N C M T Survival Kit enrollment	Masthead enrollment	Other enrollment	Hold file enrollment	General officers enrollment	Enrollment of missions/ of church	Total Church Training enrollment	Average weekly Church Training attendance	
Baton	Jerry Holman, Route 2, Box 444, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630						2	6	9	24	14	6	-	-	-	44	3	-	108	56
Bethany	None Listed						-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Blairs Fork	None Listed						-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Buffalo Cove	None Listed						-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cajahs Mountain	None Listed						-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Calvary	None Listed						-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cedar Rock	None Listed						-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Center Grove	Elmer Anderson, Route 3, Box 770, Hudson, N. C. 28638						-	11	18	26	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	56	31	
Central	Gene Hollar, 120 Bradshaw Terrace, Lenoir, N.C. 28645						2	8	6	28	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	49	35	
Clarks Chapel	Polly Crump, Route 11, Box 396, Lenoir, N.C. 28645						8	10	13	35	8	-	-	5	-	1	-	80	49	
Clearview	None Listed						6	24	28	33	-	-	-	6	-	4	-	101	93	
Clover	Tony Beard, Route 1, Box 299-1, Hickory, N.C. 28602						12	17	12	44	9	-	-	24	-	2	-	120	75	
College Avenue	Carole Wilson, 411 Realty Street, S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645						5	14	25	30	-	-	-	15	30	5	9	133	52	
Concord	Bedford Starnes, 701 Dudley Shoals Road, Granite Falls, N.C.						11	26	36	48	-	-	7	-	-	2	-	130	76	
Conways Chapel	None Listed						-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Crest View	Rick Bene, 1252 Oaklawn Street, Lenoir, N.C. 28645						7	17	25	23	-	30	-	13	25	1	-	141	60	
Dry Ponds	Wilson Annas, 1600 Dry Ponds Road, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630						9	9	29	60	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	109	57	
Dudley Shoals	David Thacker, Route 1, Box 318, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630						30	33	41	110	-	20	-	35	-	10	-	279	170	
Edgemont	None Listed						-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Fellowship	Bob Welch, P.O. Box 732, Lenoir, N.C. 28645						-	-	-	-	-	6	-	15	35	-	-	56	-	
Flemings Chapel	None Listed						10	14	15	18	5	5	-	-	-	2	-	69	25	
Friendship	Mary Wicker, 31 Terrace Drive, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630						13	23	18	87	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	141	91	
Globe	Did not receive a letter						-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Grandin	None Listed						-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Grandview Park	None Listed						-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
TOTALS																				
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS																				

TABLE C CHURCH TRAINING										September 30, 1988	86
Association										(Month & Day)	85
State											84
North Carolina											83
Association of Training Directors											82
Baptist Church of the South											81
Address											80
345 Clark's Chapel Road											79
City											78
Lenoir											77
State											76
North Carolina											75
Zip											74
28645											73
CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESS (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)											72
CHURCHES											71
Granite Falls First	None Listed										70
Green Rock	Did not receive a letter										69
Green Valley	None Listed										68
Harris Chapel	Alfred Townsend, Route 2, Box 461, Hudson, N.C. 28638										67
Harrisburg	None Listed										66
Hartland	Shirley Sides, Route 7, Box 214, Morganton, N.C. 28655										65
Hibriten	None Listed										64
Hudson First	Neal Triplett, P.O. Box 2488, Lenoir, N.C. 28645										63
Johns River	Did not receive a letter										62
Kings Creek	Judy Daughtridge, Route 1, Box 391-D, Lenoir, N.C. 28645										61
Lakeview	Shober Setzer, 112 Betts Street, Hudson, N.C. 28638										60
Lenoir First	None Listed										59
Liberty	Did not receive a letter										58
Livingston Memorial	None Listed										57
Lovelady	Did not receive a letter										56
Lower Creek	Chris Blackburn, Route 10, Box 687-A, Lenoir, N.C. 28645										55
Meadowbrook	Jerry Beason, Route 2, Box 502-CL, Hudson, N.C. 28638										54
Miller Hill	L. H. Nelson, 580 Circle Drive, C-20-5, Hudson, N.C. 28638										53
Mountain Grove	John Jett, Jr., 1301 Overlook Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645										52
Mountain View	None Listed										51
Mr. Carmel	None Listed										50
Mt. Zion	Floyd Annas, P.O. Drawer 620, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630										49
Mulberry	None Listed										48
Mulvale	None Listed										47
Nelsons Chapel	None Listed										46
TOTALS											45
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS											44

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Table D—Music Ministry

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY						YEAR ENDING September 30, ____ 1989														
Association						(Month & Day)														
Caldwell																				
State																				
North Carolina																				
Associational Music Director																				
Rev., Brooks Walker																				
Address						City		State		Zip										
Route 3, Box 307						Lenoir		North Carolina		28645										
MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)																				
CHURCHES																				
Baton	Mrs. Martha Annas, Route 2, Box 466, Hudson, N.C.	28638	2	5	2	-	34	-	10	-	3	-	56	25	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bethany	None listed		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Blaine Fork	Gerald Brookshire, Old Blowing Rock Road, Lenoir, N. C.	28645	6	8	50	16	8	-	4	3	5	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Buffalo Cove	Mrs. Darlene Townsend, Route 5, Box 421, Lenoir, N. C.	28645	-	4	8	-	20	-	-	-	-	5	-	37	20	-	-	-	-	-
Cajale Mountain	Tony Gomer, 514 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, N.C.	28645	-	-	-	-	25	-	3	3	3	-	34	15	-	-	-	-	-	-
Calvary	Bobby James, P.O. Box 5606, Lenoir, N. C.	28645	5	4	4	8	45	-	8	-	6	-	80	35	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Lynn Whisnant		-	2	-	3	16	-	1	-	2	-	24	17	-	-	-	-	-	-
Center Grove	None listed		0	5	5	-	25	-	5	-	2	-	42	25	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central	Edgar Linberger, 1052-2 Cedar Hills Court, Lenoir, N.C.	28645	11	6	7	-	36	-	10	5	8	-	83	52	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clarks Chapel	L. Parks Underdown, 1348 Fairview Drive, S.W., Lenoir, N. C.	28645	-	-	-	-	30	-	4	1	4	-	39	15	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cleaview	Floyd Games, 125 Mayfield Road, Lenoir, N.C.	28645	4	4	12	6	30	-	5	3	2	-	66	38	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clover	Bill Suddearth, 449 Lucy Road, Granite Falls, N.C.	28630	3	10	12	22	25	-	7	-	5	-	84	35	-	-	-	-	-	-
College Avenue	Kenneth R. Little, Route 1, Box 404-E, Lenoir, N.C.	28645	7	12	18	31	45	23	20	-	5	-	161	117	-	-	-	-	-	-
Concord	Terry Crouse, 37 Falls Avenue, Granite Falls, N.C.	28630	12	15	15	32	46	-	17	12	13	-	162	96	-	-	-	-	-	-
Conways Chapel	Richard Deal, Route 7, Box 244, Morganton, N.C.	28655	-	1	2	2	13	-	4	-	2	-	24	19	-	-	-	-	-	-
Crest View	Steve Robbins, Route 5, Box 512, Lenoir, N.C.	28645	7	8	9	18	31	-	5	-	11	-	89	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dry Ponds	Oecil Baker, Sr., Granite Falls, N.C.	28630	4	8	6	10	25	-	-	-	4	-	57	30	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dudley Shoals	Ms. Trina Ferrell, 703 Dudley Shoals Road, Granite Falls, N.C.	28630	12	10	12	15	32	-	7	-	3	-	91	51	-	-	-	-	-	-
Edgemont	None listed		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fellowship	Mrs. Jo Sutcliffe, 163 Cajah Mtn. Road, C-31-3, Hudson, N.C.	28638	6	-	-	-	25	-	6	-	4	-	41	18	-	-	-	-	-	-
Flemings Chapel	Gary Gregg, 102 Corolla Hills, Lenoir, N. C.	28645	3	4	5	10	30	-	-	3	3	-	58	30	-	-	-	-	-	-
Friendship	Roggy Greene, 922 Hawthorne Drive, Lenoir, N.C.	28645	-	-	-	15	37	-	-	-	4	-	56	40	-	-	-	-	-	-
Globe	Did not receive letter		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grandin	Lennis Eller, Route 1, Box 551, Lenoir, N.C.	28645	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Granbyview Park	Marvin Triplett, 107 Melview Street, Lenoir, N.C.	28645	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTALS																				
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS																				
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TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY			YEAR ENDING September 30, 1992															
Association			(Month & Day)															
Caldwell																		
State																		
North Carolina																		
Associational Music Director																		
Rev. Brooks Walker																		
Address			City		State													
Route 3, Box 307			Lenoir		North Carolina													
					Zip													
					28645													
CHURCHES			MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)															
Granite Falls First	Mrs. Pam Johnston, Route 5, Box 1310, Hickory, N.C. 28601				5		10	10	35	40	12	4	-	3	-	119	35	
Green Rock	Did not receive a letter																	
Green Valley	Richard A. Coffey, Star Route, Box 78, Collettsville, N.C. 28611				1		3	1	3	10	-	-	-	3	-	21	-	
Harris Chapel	Clyde Murray, Route 2, Box 393, Hudson, N. C. 28638				20		14	13	30	75	-	12	2	3	-	169	83	
Harrisburg	Ron Burgett, 2304 Maywood Street, Lenoir, N.C. 28645																	
Hartland	Barry Meck, Route 6, Box 393, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-		2	2	4	19	-	5	2	6	-	40	15	
Hibriten	Russell Dula, 704-B Taylorsville Road, S.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-		-	-	-	42	-	4	-	4	-	50	35	
Hudson First	Donald Almond, Route 1, Box 221-E, Hudson, N.C. 28638				-		18	16	14	37	11	5	-	9	-	110	75	
Johns River	Did not receive a letter																	
Kings Creek	Chris Jones, 417 Worley Road, Marion, N.C. 28752				4		10	2	6	22	-	3	4	3	-	54	35	
Lakeview	Mrs. Karen Setzer, 917 Kenham Place, S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645				1		-	1	3	21	-	6	5	4	-	41	10	
Lenoir First	Mrs. Larry Hollar, 929 Hemlock Drive, N.E., Lenoir, N. C. 28645				12		17	16	-	35	20	6	4	7	-	117	95	
Liberty	Did not receive a letter																	
Livingston Memorial	Mack Foust, Route 1, Box 252, Boomer, N.C. 28606				3		2	3	4	10	-	-	-	2	-	24	12	
Lovely	Did not receive a letter																	
Lower Creek	Gilbert E. Blackburn, 236 Tremont Park Drive, S.E., Lenoir, N.C.				9		18	13	12	44	-	11	-	6	-	113	95	
Meadowbrook	Wayne Andrews, Route 1, Box 1359, Boomer, N.C. 28606				-		25	-	12	30	-	3	-	4	-	74	50	
Miller Hill	Bill Triplett, 105 S. Englewood, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-		-	-	-	21	-	-	-	2	-	23	15	
Mountain Grove	Randy E. McCall, Route 2, Box 263-A, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630				15		11	14	12	28	-	6	5	3	-	94	63	
Mountain View	Douglas T. Clark, Route 10, Box 256, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mt. Carmel	Floyd Bangamer, Route 3, Box 860, Hudson, N. C. 28630				-		-	-	10	-	-	-	-	2	-	12	12	
Mt. Zion	Stephen Cruise, Route 3, Box 258, Hudson, N.C. 28638				12		20	19	32	43	-	16	4	9	-	155	100	
Mulberry	Charles Thompson, Route 8, Box 215-A, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-		-	-	2	22	-	4	5	3	-	36	24	
Mulvale	Diane Hoyle, P.O. Box 74, Collettsville, N.C. 28611				-		-	-	4	21	-	-	-	2	-	27	20	
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. Carmen Sudreth, Route 8, Box 219, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-		-	-	9	13	-	-	-	4	-	26	20	
			TOTALS															
			PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS															

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY		YEAR ENDING September 30, 1988 (Month & Day)										87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	
Association																								
Sara North Carolina Aspenwood Music Director Rev. Brooks Walker	Address	City	State	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)							-	10	23	14	40	16	12	12	6	-	133	60		
	Route 3, Box 207	Lenoir	North Carolina	Zip	28645																			
CHURCHES																								
New Life		Did not receive a letter																						
North Catawba		Brooks Walker, Route 3, Box 307, Lenoir, N. C. 28645										-	10	23	14	40	16	12	12	6	-	133	60	
Oak Grove		James D. Mull, Jr., 2 Starnes Street, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630										4	3	4	3	23	-	-	-	-	-	37	34	
Open Door Mission		None Listed										-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	
Piney Grove		Mrs. Prudence Lawre, 229 Piney Grove Circle, Lenoir, N.C. 28645										5	-	-	-	23	-	-	1	3	-	32	10	
Pisgah		Did not receive a letter																						
Pooveys Chapel		Mrs. Carolyn Icard, 171 Canjah Mtn. Rd., C-31-5, Hudson, N.C. 28638										3	7	8	8	30	-	4	8	6	-	74	57	
Pooveys Grove		Mack Fletcher, 22 Stonelake Drive, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630										-	-	-	-	16	-	-	-	3	-	19	14	
Rhodias First		Harold Joplin, Helton Circle Drive, Box 2, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630										4	12	8	23	24	-	2	-	5	-	78	54	
Rocky Springs		Mike Moore, 352 Calico Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645										-	-	-	6	12	-	6	5	3	-	32	12	
Rufus		Ms. Ann N. Quinn, 110-A Plymouth Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645										-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Setzers Creek		Edgar Haas, Route 1, Box 142, Hudson, N.C. 28638										1	5	4	18	25	-	2	-	4	-	59	30	
Sunrise		Bill Shore, 505 Lincoln Lane, Lenoir, N.C. 28645										-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Temple Hill		Jason Gayer, Route 1, Box 497, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630										-	-	-	30	43	-	-	4	3	-	80	30	
Union		Rodney Smith, Route 2, Box 330, Lenoir, N.C. 28645										-	10	-	-	25	-	3	-	3	-	41	35	
Union Grove		Mrs. Carolyn Efford, 246 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645										15	12	12	20	35	-	12	-	5	-	111	63	
West Lenoir		Ourtis Harrington, 207 Fairview Drive, S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645										3	7	5	15	60	-	12	-	6	-	108	108	
Whitnel First		Marshall Johnson, Route 2, Box 307-F, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630										-	2	6	14	45	-	2	-	7	-	76	30	
Zacklin		Sherrill German, P.O. Box 254, Patterson, N.C. 28661										-	5	9	16	20	11	4	-	4	-	69	56	
Zacklin Valley		Dale Clark, Route 5, Lenoir, N.C. 28645										-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Zacks Fork		Mrs. Brenda Borders, P.O. Box 1048, Lenoir, N.C. 28645										3	12	13	19	40	-	12	-	4	-	103	65	
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Table E—Woman's Missionary Union

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION				YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1989														
Association				(Month & Day)														
Caldwell																		
State																		
North Carolina																		
Associational WMU Director																		
Mrs. Mary Sudbretth																		
429 Lacey Road																		
City				State														
Granite Falls				North Carolina														
WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)				Zip														
				28630														
CHURCHES																		
	Baton	None Listed	2	1	1	2	-	7	14	9	2	10	24	4	-	-	63	
	Bethany	None Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	Blairs Fork	None Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	Buffalo Cove	None Listed	1	1	-	-	-	2	11	8	-	-	-	-	-	19		
	Caljahs Mountain	Call Kirby, Route 2, Box 15, Kaylor Drive, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	1	1	-	-	1	3	6	7	-	-	15	3	-	31		
	Calvary	None Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	Cedar Rock	Mrs. Helen Correll, 270 Wildwood Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	Center Grove	Mrs. Melvin Lail, Route 1, Box 480, Hudson, N.C. 28638	1	2	1	1	3	8	15	8	5	10	25	4	-	67		
	Central	Mrs. Nancy Hines, 108 Dove Street, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	1	1	1	-	1	4	8	4	4	-	24	7	-	47		
	Clarks Chapel	Mrs. Elsie Dean Angley, 104 Kaylor Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	1	1	1	-	1	4	5	4	3	-	11	1	-	24		
	Clearview	None Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	Clover	Mrs. Mary Sudbretth, 449 Lacy Road, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	2	2	2	2	1	9	21	22	12	32	31	11	-	129		
	College Avenue	Charlene Clark, 1017 Olive Avenue S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	2	3	1	-	9	15	10	13	5	-	90	7	-	125		
	Concord	Mrs. Brenda Childers, 5 Circle Drive, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	1	1	1	-	2	5	7	16	15	-	40	1	-	79		
	Conways Chapel	None Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	Crest View	Mrs. Pauline Bentley, 117 Creekside Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	1	1	1	1	1	5	8	17	13	18	16	10	-	82		
	Dry Ponds	Mrs. Judy York, Route 2, 6 Jett Drive, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	2	2	1	1	2	8	12	14	8	14	30	2	-	80		
	Dudley Shoals	Mrs. Jeanette Hardness, Route 13, Box 1075, Hickory, N.C. 28601	2	4	2	2	3	13	18	36	22	39	43	8	-	166		
	Edgemont	None Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	Fellowship	Mrs. Marie McCarron, 575 Circle Drive, C-20-6, Hudson, N.C. 28638	1	-	1	-	1	3	6	-	3	-	27	2	-	38		
	Flemings Chapel	Mrs. Joyce Winkler, Route 6, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	1	1	1	-	2	5	12	13	9	-	23	1	-	58		
	Friendship	Rudrey Duncan, Route 2, Box 543-G, Hudson, N.C. 28632	1	2	1	1	1	6	13	34	15	19	15	1	-	97		
	Globe	Did not receive a letter	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	Grandin	None Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	Grandview Park	Mrs. Faye Watson, 2303 Morganton Blvd., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	12	2	-	14		
TOTALS																		
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS																		
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TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION																					
Association			YEAR ENDING			September 30, 1988															
Caldwell			(Month & Day)																		
State			City			State															
North Carolina			Granite Falls			North Carolina															
Additional WMU Director			Zeo			28630															
Mrs. Perry Suddreth																					
449 Lacy Road																					
CHURCHES																					
Granite Falls First	Mrs. Verna Brookshire, Route 3, Box 421, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	1	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	4	15	7	12	-	14	1	-	Total ongoing WMU enrollment			
Green Rock	Did not receive a letter																				
Green Valley	Sandra Coffey, Star Route, Box 63, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	3	-	5			
Harris Chapel	Carolyn Townsend, Route 2, Box 402, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	1	-	1	1	-	3	-	3	-	15	-	15	55	1	-	86			
Harrisburg	None Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Hartland	Shirley Sides, Route 7, Box 214, Morganton, N.C. 28655	1	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	4	6	5	5	-	14	3	-	33			
Hibriten	Mrs. Wanda Laws, 191 Hantington Drive, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	17	3	-	20			
Hudson First	Mrs. Andrew Lindsey, Route 2, Box 384-E, Hudson, N.C. 28638	1	2	1	-	4	-	8	-	8	6	19	11	-	70	6	-	112			
Johns River	Did not receive a letter																				
Kings Creek	Mrs. Virginia Barlow, Route 1, Box 412-A, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	1	1	1	1	-	4	-	4	-	6	8	-	30	4	-	48			
Lakeview	Mrs. Delores Hawkins, 518 Scroggs Street, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	2	1	1	1	1	-	6	12	3	4	10	12	1	12	1	-	42			
Lenoir First	Mrs. Robert Correll, 120 Prestwood Heights, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	3	2	-	-	5	-	10	15	10	-	-	-	-	102	6	-	133			
Liberty	Did not receive a letter																				
Livingston Memorial	Mrs. Anita Watson, Route 1, Box 727-A, Boomer, N.C. 28606	-	1	-	-	1	-	2	-	6	-	6	-	-	8	3	-	17			
Love Lady	Did not receive a letter																				
Lower Creek	Anita Broach, 119 Shady Oak Terrace, C16-8, Hudson, N.C. 28638	1	1	0	1	4	-	7	30	17	-	15	68	8	-	-	138				
Madisonbrook	Mrs. Joan Crouse, 2513 Central Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	2	1	1	-	2	-	6	13	13	14	-	41	2	-	-	83				
Miller Hill	Sue Smith, 1214 Overlook Drive, S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	1	1	-	1	1	-	4	1	5	-	5	21	4	-	-	36				
Mountain Grove	Christine Boone, P.O. Box 548, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	1	1	1	1	1	-	5	15	30	10	40	50	5	-	130	-				
Mountain View	None Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Mt. Carmel	Mrs. Judy Mullinax, Route 3, Box 984, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	6	-	10	2	-	-	18			
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Cecil Starnes, 3997 N. Main Street, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	2	2	1	1	2	-	8	18	25	10	11	26	13	-	103	-	103			
Milberry	None Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Malvale	None Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. Linda Dekardo, Route 8, Box A-214, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	1	1	1	1	1	-	5	4	6	2	3	4	1	-	-	20	20			
TOTALS																					
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TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION		YEAR ENDING	SEE/CONTACT	10	1989
Association		(Month & Day)		99	100
State		City		101	102
Zip		State		103	104
Address		City		105	106
Zip		State		107	108
Address		City		109	110
Zip		State		111	112
Address		City		113	114
North Carolina	North Carolina	North Carolina	North Carolina	North Carolina	North Carolina
Association WMU Director	Association WMU Director	Association WMU Director	Association WMU Director	Association WMU Director	Association WMU Director
Mrs. Mary Sudbret	Mrs. Mary Sudbret	Mrs. Mary Sudbret	Mrs. Mary Sudbret	Mrs. Mary Sudbret	Mrs. Mary Sudbret
4439 Lacey Road	4439 Lacey Road	4439 Lacey Road	4439 Lacey Road	4439 Lacey Road	4439 Lacey Road
CHURCHES	CHURCHES	CHURCHES	CHURCHES	CHURCHES	CHURCHES
Did not receive a letter	Did not receive a letter	Did not receive a letter	Did not receive a letter	Did not receive a letter	Did not receive a letter
New Life	New Life	New Life	New Life	New Life	New Life
North Catawba	North Catawba	North Catawba	North Catawba	North Catawba	North Catawba
Oak Grove	Oak Grove	Oak Grove	Oak Grove	Oak Grove	Oak Grove
Open Door Mission	Open Door Mission	Open Door Mission	Open Door Mission	Open Door Mission	Open Door Mission
Piney Grove	Piney Grove	Piney Grove	Piney Grove	Piney Grove	Piney Grove
Pisgah	Pisgah	Pisgah	Pisgah	Pisgah	Pisgah
Pooveys Chapel	Pooveys Chapel	Pooveys Chapel	Pooveys Chapel	Pooveys Chapel	Pooveys Chapel
Pooveys Grove	Pooveys Grove	Pooveys Grove	Pooveys Grove	Pooveys Grove	Pooveys Grove
Shodhiss First	Shodhiss First	Shodhiss First	Shodhiss First	Shodhiss First	Shodhiss First
Rocky Springs	Rocky Springs	Rocky Springs	Rocky Springs	Rocky Springs	Rocky Springs
Rufus	Rufus	Rufus	Rufus	Rufus	Rufus
Setzers Creek	Setzers Creek	Setzers Creek	Setzers Creek	Setzers Creek	Setzers Creek
Surprise	Surprise	Surprise	Surprise	Surprise	Surprise
Temple Hill	Temple Hill	Temple Hill	Temple Hill	Temple Hill	Temple Hill
Union	Union	Union	Union	Union	Union
Union Grove	Union Grove	Union Grove	Union Grove	Union Grove	Union Grove
West Lenoir	West Lenoir	West Lenoir	West Lenoir	West Lenoir	West Lenoir
Whitnel First	Whitnel First	Whitnel First	Whitnel First	Whitnel First	Whitnel First
Wickin	Wickin	Wickin	Wickin	Wickin	Wickin
Wickin Valley	Wickin Valley	Wickin Valley	Wickin Valley	Wickin Valley	Wickin Valley
Wicks Fork	Wicks Fork	Wicks Fork	Wicks Fork	Wicks Fork	Wicks Fork
TOTALS	TOTALS	TOTALS	TOTALS	TOTALS	TOTALS
50	56	38	25	79	248
402	524	290	299	1,247	198
2,960					

Table F--Brotherhood

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD													
Association		YEAR ENDING		September 30, 1948									
				(Month & Day)									
Calhwell													
State													
North Carolina													
Associational Brotherhood Director													
Mr. Earl Woods													
Address		City	State										
Route 3, Box 1500		Hudson	North Carolina	28638									
CHURCHES		BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)											
Baton		Lewis Annas, Route 2, Box 466, Hudson, N.C. 28638		-	-	1	-	12	-	15	4	-	32
Bethany		None Listed		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Blairs Fork		None Listed		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Buffalo Cove		David Townsend, Route 5, Box 421, Lenoir, N.C. 28645		2	6	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	31
Cajaha Mountain		Wayne McCall, Route 2, Box 401, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630		2	4	4	2	-	3	10	3	-	28
Calvary		None Listed		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cedar Rock		None Listed		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Center Grove		None Listed		-	5	-	1	6	-	15	1	-	28
Central		Dennis Sherrill, 1104 Springfield Court, Lenoir, N.C. 28645		4	4	7	4	3	-	10	1	-	33
Clarks Chapel		None Listed		3	6	10	2	-	-	-	-	-	21
Clearview		None Listed		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clover		Earl Lingle, P.O. Box 24, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630		12	8	1	5	1	8	10	3	-	48
College Avenue		Curtis Moore, 715 Pennell Street, N.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645		4	4	6	3	-	-	21	4	-	42
Concord		Charles Worcester, Route 3, Box 315 C-1, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630		10	14	-	1	-	-	16	1	-	42
Conways Chapel		None Listed		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Crest View		Steve Triplett, 109 Spencer Heights, Lenoir, N.C. 28645		2	7	3	4	2	9	35	3	-	65
Dry Ponds		Tim Wilson, 70 Rocky Road, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630		6	7	4	1	4	12	15	4	-	53
Dudley Shoals		Richard Hackness, Route 13, Box 1075, Hickory, N.C. 28601		9	11	13	4	9	-	36	3	-	85
Edgemont		None Listed		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fellowship		John McCarson, 575 Circle Drive, C-20-6, Hudson, N.C. 28638		4	6	-	1	3	-	18	3	-	35
Flemings Chapel		Rob Amick, Route 11, Box 252, Lenoir, N.C. 28645		3	4	4	4	-	-	12	1	-	28
Friendship		Archie Miller, Route 4, Box 259, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630		4	6	7	1	-	-	15	2	-	35
Globe		Did not receive a letter		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grandin		None Listed		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grandview Park		None Listed		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		TOTALS											
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		PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS											

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD		YEAR ENDING September 30, 1989		114		115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123
Associates		Month & Day		114		115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123
Calhoun														
State														
North Carolina														
Associational Brotherhood Director														
Address														
Route 3, Box 1500														
CHURCHES		BROTHERHOOD DIRECTIONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)												
Granite Falls First		Wayne Sullivan, P.O. Box 475, Hudson, N.C. 28638		6	8						20	4		66
Green Rock		Did not receive a letter												
Green Valley		None Listed												
Harris Chapel		David Houser, Route 4, Box 12, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630									30	1		31
Harrisburg		None Listed												
Hartland		Ed Eller, Route 6, Box 485, Lenoir, N.C. 28645		3	4	1	2				5	1		16
Hibriten		None Listed												
Hudson First		Ken Sullivan, 145 Cottage Grove, Lenoir, N.C. 28645		9	10	6	1				38	7		71
Johns River		Did not receive a letter												
Kings Creek		Kenneth Smith, Route 1, Box 476-D, Lenoir, N.C. 28645					5				14	4		23
Lakeview		Lester Perry, 310 Cypress Street, C-50-9, Hudson, N.C. 28638		2			3			3	4	3		15
Lenoir First		Kim Hutchens, 141 Linwood Place, N.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645		0	16			1			45	1		63
Liberty		Did not receive a letter												
Livingston Memorial		None Listed												
Loxley		Did not receive a letter												
Lower Creek		Zeno James, 409 Cottrell Hill Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645		9	14			4			16	1		44
Monksbrook		Mike Carlton, Route 1, Box 221-E2, Hudson, N.C. 28638		6	4			1		4	18	1		34
Miller Hill		None Listed									14	3		17
Mountain Grove		Clifford Robbins, Route 2, Box 309, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630		9	11		5	3		4	8	4		44
Mountain View		None Listed												
Mt. Carmel		Floyd Bangarmer, Route 3, Box 860, Hudson, N.C. 28638										1		1
Mt. Zion		Earl Woods, Route 3, Box 1500, Hudson, N.C. 28638		10	10	7	1			11	19	1		59
Mulberry		None Listed												
Mulvale		None Listed												
Nelsons Chapel		None Listed		3	5	2	4				3	2		19
		TOTALS												
		PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS												

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD						YEAR ENDING September 30, _____ 1989									
Association Caldwell						(Month & Day)									
State North Carolina															
Associational Brotherhood Director															
Address Route 3, Box 1500															
City Hudson															
State North Carolina															
Zip Code 28638															
BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)															
CHURCHES	Lads 16-5 years or grades 1-3	Catechists (9-11 years or grades 4-6)	Pioneers (12-14 years or grades 7-9)	R.A. director and committee	High school Baptists Young Men enrollment	Baptist Young Men enrollment	Brotherhood director and other general Brotherhood Officers	Enrollment of missions) of church	Total ongoing Brotherhood enrollment						
New Life	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Did not receive a letter	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
North Catawba	3	2	8	3	-	10	4	-	30						
Oak Grove	7	4	3	2	3	5	1	-	26						
Theodore Cannon, Route 3, Box 206, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Nine Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Open Door Mission	-	-	-	-	-	7	1	-	8						
Piney Grove	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Fishgah	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Did not receive a letter	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
David Livingston, Route 3, Box 1030, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	1	6	1	-	2	2	-	20						
Pooveys Chapel	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	11						
Stirl Dula, Route 5, Box 109, Hickory, N.C. 28601	-	10	9	4	-	25	2	-	50						
Nine Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Rhodias First	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Nine Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Rocky Springs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Nine Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Rufus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Satzers Creek	-	-	-	-	-	16	4	-	20						
Nine Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Sumrise	19	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	31						
Temple Hill	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Union	5	5	7	5	9	6	-	-	47						
Larry Teeters, Route 2, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	3	7	3	-	10	3	-	26						
Eugene Holmes, Route 1, Box 117, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Union Grove	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Nine Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
West Lenoir	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Junior Helton, 1477 Overlook Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	5	-	0	-	7	29	3	-	44						
Mitrel First	-	5	-	2	5	1	6	-	36						
Yadkin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Bill Swanson, 2136 Wendwood Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Nine Listed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Yadkin Valley	1	2	4	2	2	8	5	-	24						
Bob Mullett, P.O. Box 1048, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Zacks Fork	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
TOTALS	163	206	149	79	75	74	100	0	1,462						
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS															

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Table G—Total Receipts, Local Expenditures & Stewardship

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP		YEAR ENDING 9-30-1989		(Month & Day)										
Association		Calhwell												
Steele	North Carolina													
	Association Treasurer													
	Mr. Jack Spainhour													
	Address P.O. Box 177	State	City	State	City	State	City	State	City	State	City	State	City	State
TREASURER & ADDRESSES (INCLUDES ZIP CODE)		28645												
CHURCHES		124	125	126	127	128	129	130	131	132	133	134	135	
Baton	Cheryl Green, Route 2, Box 264, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	113,051	19,663	132,714	288	133,002	-	38,736	-	5,331	7,245	41,269	92,579	Total local expenditures
Bethany	Ray Adkins, Route 5, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	All other local expenditures
Blairs Fork	Theresa Adkins, Route 10, Box 694, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	36,571	1,681	38,252	-	38,252	-	26,200	-	1,540	600	4,582	32,922	Church hireware
Buffalo Cove	Riley Watson, Route 5, Box 508, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	17,237	2,335	19,572	604	20,176	-	3,940	14,705	-	1,088	4,774	24,507	Debt retirement during year
Caljaha Mountain	Joia Winters, 503 Fairview Acres, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	47,380	2,800	50,180	-	50,180	-	11,450	-	5,957	890	3,700	21,997	Money paid out on new construction during the year
Calvary	Bobby James, P.O. Box 5606, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	126,144	-	126,144	7,483	133,627	-	19,053	-	-	1,586	60,288	80,927	Crunch staff salaries
Cedar Rock	Louise Correll, Twin Meadow Acres, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	30,218	1,605	31,823	-	31,823	-	11,105	-	2,825	825	10,691	25,446	Money borrowed during the year
Center Grove	Richard Keener, Route 3, Box 785, Hudson, N.C. 28638	128,304	16,886	145,190	758	145,948	130,000	31,758	65,798	26,214	6,074	14,243	144,087	Total Receipts
Central	Alan Craig, 113 South Haven Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	188,752	59,419	248,171	11,211	259,382	-	78,609	-	82,082	5,387	40,504	206,582	All other receipts
Clarks Chapel	J.B. Anolev, 104 Kaylor Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	77,588	6,853	84,441	-	84,441	-	33,285	-	5,064	2,025	3,944	44,318	Crunch staff salaries
Cleavview	Loretta Haney, Route 2, Box 828-B, Hudson, N.C. 28638	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Money borrowed during the year
Clover	Debbie Ward, Route 12, Box 315, Hickory, N.C. 28602	125,219	37,879	163,098	6,077	169,175	55,000	45,240	-	5,854	4,989	43,050	99,133	Total Receipts
College Avenue	Vaughan Summerlin, P.O. Box 201, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	291,643	87,051	378,694	-	378,694	-	129,962	-	-	7,667	48,893	186,522	Crunch staff salaries
Concord	Pam Baber, 8 Caldwell Avenue, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	202,334	45,077	247,411	1,855	249,266	77,000	64,766	-	17,911	5,274	23,852	111,803	Money paid out on new construction during the year
Conveys Chapel	Becky Shaw, 118-D Spencer Heights, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	15,860	2,961	18,821	-	18,821	-	5,375	-	-	180	11,370	16,925	Debt retirement during year
Cost View	Jake Watson, 807 Powell Road, N.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645	88,580	6,594	95,174	-	95,174	-	47,585	-	2,460	4,860	34,430	89,335	Money borrowed during the year
Dry Ponds	Mark Townsend, Route 2, Box 475-B, Hudson, N.C. 28638	102,415	66,010	168,425	18,607	187,032	270,000	28,743	145,555	62,949	6,544	14,324	258,115	Total Receipts
Dutley Shoals	Herman Kizer, Route 1, Box 195, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630	243,466	65,253	308,719	3,014	311,733	-	84,592	1,838	-	10,460	115,271	212,161	All other local expenditures
Edgemont	Patricia Moretz, Star Route, Box 202, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,965	-	-	133	1,601	5,699	Church hireware
Fellowship	Marlene Sullivan, 571 Circle Drive, C-20-B, Hudson, N.C. 28638	114,591	17,553	132,144	598	132,742	32,000	39,480	-	37,954	2,850	52,557	132,841	Debt retirement during year
Flemings Chapel	Hilda Houck, P.O. Box 9, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	89,692	13,798	103,490	-	103,490	-	21,964	-	17,730	4,882	40,003	84,579	Money paid out on new construction during the year
Friendship	Lynne Evans, Route 2, Box 356, Hudson, N.C. 28638	154,702	6,670	161,372	-	161,372	-	36,558	-	-	4,896	3,279	44,733	Crunch staff salaries
Globe	Did not receive a letter	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Money borrowed during the year
Grandin	Wilma Bowlin, 214 Whitnel Place, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	12,112	1,298	13,410	1,601	15,011	-	6,540	-	-	241	8,708	15,489	Total Receipts
Gandyview Park	Betty Johnson, 117 Melview Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645	21,883	427	22,310	-	22,310	-	4,125	-	-	278	5,634	10,037	All other receipts
TOTALS		PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS												
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Table H—Mission Expenditures

TABLE M MISSION EXPENDITURES		YEAR ENDING		September 30, 1988		CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS														OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES													
Association		(Month & Day)		136	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144	145	146	147	148	149	150															
State	Church	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES INCLUDES ZIP CODE	Money paid out on new construction during the year	All other church sponsored mission expenditures	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Association missions	Missions (incl. Anne Arundel Strong Easter offering)	S8 Foreign Missions (incl. Little Moon Christmas offering)	S8 Christian Education (schools, etc.)	S8 Children's Home (cash plus goods)	S8 Hospitals	S8 Homes for the aged	All other (Bible League, etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total																	
North Carolina	Calwell	State of North Carolina 28645																															
Association Clerk	Calwell	State of North Carolina 28645																															
Mrs. Ann Hutton	Calwell	State of North Carolina 28645																															
4400 Hickory Blvd.	Calwell	State of North Carolina 28645																															
ton	Calwell	Mrs. Kathryn Cloer, 239 Cahaji Mtn. Road, Route 2, Hudson, N.C.																															
thany	Calwell	Pat Keen, Route 8, Lenoir, N.C. 28645																															
Fair Fork	Calwell	Patsy White, 1225 Old North Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645																															
Effalo Cove	Calwell	Mrs. Lena Bangamer, Route 5, Box 422, Lenoir, N.C. 28645																															
Jahs Mountain	Calwell	Gail Kirby, Route 2, Box 15, Kaylor Drive, Granite Falls, N.C.																															
lavery	Calwell	Mrs. Janie Penley, 627 Fairway Acres, Lenoir, N.C. 28645																															
lar Rock	Calwell	Mrs. Mitzi Bivens, Route 1, Box 477-A, Lenoir, N.C. 28645																															
enter Grove	Calwell	Mrs. Melvin Lail, Route 1, Box 480, Hudson, N.C. 28638																															
entral	Calwell	Cothy Story, 325 Swanson Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645																															
arks Chapel	Calwell	Miss Toye Clark, Route 3, Box 32, Lenoir, N.C. 28645																															
arview	Calwell	Alice Clarke, Route 2, Box 453, Hudson, N.C. 28638																															
wer	Calwell	Miss Carole Church, 39 Forest Avenue, Granite Falls, N.C.																															
lege Avenue	Calwell	Janet Branch, 200 Blue Ridge Lane, Lenoir, N.C. 28645																															
cord	Calwell	Mrs. Pam Graham, 10 Quarry Road, Apt. 21, Granite Falls, N.C.																															
ways Chapel	Calwell	Mrs. Becky Shaw, 118-D Spencer Hts., Lenoir, N.C. 28645																															
st View	Calwell	Mrs. Cynthia Alley, Route 5, Box 344A, Lenoir, N.C. 28645																															
Ponds	Calwell	Mrs. Linda Edwards, Baton School Road, Granite Falls, N.C.																															
ley Shoals	Calwell	Linda K. Story, 35 Countryside Drive, Granite Falls, N.C.																															
Lenoir	Calwell	Dwayne Pyatte, Star Rt., Box 173-A, Lenoir, N.C. 28645																															
Lowship	Calwell	None Listed																															
Managers Chapel	Calwell	Mrs. Olivia Haynes, P.O. Box 2151, Lenoir, N.C. 28645																															
Landship	Calwell	Debbie Maltba, 107 Magnolia Lane, Hudson, N.C. 28638																															
ce	Calwell	Did not receive a letter																															
rdin	Calwell	Rebecca Ann Greer, Route 1, Box 574-A, Lenoir, N.C. 28645																															
ndview Park	Calwell	Mrs. Anaylis Hall, 210 College Rd., Lenoir, N.C. 28645																															
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CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDES ZIP CODE)	City	State	Zip	136	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144	145	146	147	148	149	150															
					Mone paid out on new construction during the year	All other church sponsored mission expenditures	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	State missions	SB Home Missions (incl. Anne Arm strong Easter offering)	SB Foreign Missions (incl. Lotte Moon Christmas offering)	SB Christian education (schools, etc.)	SB Children's (cash plus goods)	SB Hospitals	SB Homes for the aged	All other Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Mission expenditures															
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Granite Falls First	Mrs. Henrietta Sullivan, P.O. Box 475, Hudson, N.C. 28638				-	-	-	18,536	3,000	658	2,399	5,246	-	-	-	-	-	11,303	29,839															
Green Rock	Did not receive a letter				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-															
Green Valley	Marie Kirby, Star Rt., Box 79-A, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-	-	-	50	100	131	156	136	-	100	100	-	361	1,082	1,132															
Harris Chapel	Elden Annas, Route 2, Box 379, Hudson, N. C. 28638				-	-	-	-	-	-	615	3,687	12,724	1,229	-	-	16,949	35,204	35,204															
Harrisburg	Mrs. Frances Price, 708 Lynhaven Street, S.W., Lenoir, N.C.				-	-	-	1,400	1,016	-	636	1,200	-	-	-	-	667	3,519	4,919															
Hartland	Genise Mock, Route 6, Box 392, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-	-	-	12,408	2,465	1,146	1,500	3,254	-	1,917	133	134	3,189	13,738	26,146															
Hibriten	Mrs. Novella Benfield, 166 Walker Circle, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-	-	-	-	-	-	700	3,000	-	3,000	-	-	9,244	15,944	15,944															
Hudson First	Mrs. H.S. Benfield, P.O. Box 165, Hudson, N.C. 28638				-	-	-	47,848	6,542	2,731	3,755	18,647	3,120	1,239	1,097	-	11,310	48,441	96,289															
Johns River	Did not receive a letter				-	-	-	16,599	1,600	602	2,821	8,267	-	215	107	107	1,692	15,411	32,010															
Kings Creek	Mrs. Ruby Icenhour, Route 1, Box 450-B, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-	-	-	6,298	1,718	50	922	1,301	-	-	-	-	-	3,991	10,289															
Lakeview	Mrs. Malinda Perry, 310 Cypress St., C-50-9, Hudson, N.C.				-	-	-	46,000	4,910	2,986	3,950	6,457	8,350	3,210	1,454	-	17,865	49,182	95,182															
Lenoir First	Mrs. Floyd Colvard, 102 Afton Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-															
Liberty	Did not receive a letter				-	-	-	2,082	521	38	69	156	-	30	30	-	2,930	3,774	5,856															
Livingston Memorial	Mrs. Perlina Hatton, Route 1, Box 220, Boone, N.C. 28606				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-															
LoveLady	Did not receive a letter				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-															
Lower Creek	Marjorie Conley, 925 Hawthorne Drive, N.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-	-	-	49,500	3,525	5,302	10,453	40,644	-	1,382	691	691	12,539	75,227	124,727															
Meadowbrook	Mary Lib Pressnell, P.O. Box 187, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-	-	-	20,137	5,034	1,299	1,645	6,054	-	-	12	-	-	14,044	34,181															
Miller Hill	Bea Pope, 512 Wentworth Circle, N.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-	1,200	1,200	6,848	1,370	30	393	1,995	-	30	30	-	1,856	5,704	13,752															
Mountain Grove	Linda Church, 251 Legion Road, CR43-4, Hudson, N.C. 28638				-	-	-	23,379	3,897	933	1,562	8,233	-	130	355	-	-	15,110	38,489															
Mountain View	Jennifer Coffey, Route 10, Box 219, Lenoir, N.C. 28645				-	-	-	226	222	293	175	400	-	-	121	100	753	2,064	2,290															
Mt. Carmel	Mrs. Wanda Bunganmer, Route 3, Box 860, Hudson, N. C. 28638				-	-	-	1,172	213	-	415	676	-	50	-	-	465	1,819	2,991															
Mt. Zion	Miss Sheila Fox, Route 2, Box 466-K, Granite Falls, N.C				-	-	-	35,352	7,149	1,368	2,703	9,364	-	1,021	82	82	722	22,491	57,843															
Milberry	Collene Triplett, Route 10, Box 750, Lenoir, N. C. 28645				-	-	-	193	300	-	-	4,204	-	200	100	100	6,328	11,232	11,425															
Milvale	Nina Pritchard, Route 7, Box 234, Lenoir, N. C. 28645				-	-	-	5,000	1,500	700	700	919	-	-	-	-	-	3,819	8,819															
Nelsons Chapel	Deborah Greer, Route 7, Box 282-B, Lenoir, N. C. 28645				64	-	64	2,500	400	-	469	528	-	64	-	-	680	2,141	4,705															
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GROUP 1—COLLETESVILLE

Conways Chapel
Edgemont
Globe
Green Valley
Johns River
Mountain View
Mulberry
Mulvale
Rocky Springs
Rufus

GROUP 2—PATTERSON

Bethany
Buffalo Cove
Crest View
Green Rock
Nelsons Chapel
Piney Grove
Setzers Creek
Yadkin
Yadkin Valley

GROUP 3—LENOIR NORTH

Blairs Fork
Calvary
Cedar Rock
Grandin
Kings Creek
Lenoir First
Liberty
Livingston Memorial
Lower Creek
Open Door
Union
Zacks Fork

GROUP 4—LENOIR SOUTH

Central
College Avenue
Flemings Chapel
Grandview Park
Harrisburg Chapel
Hartland
Hibriten
Meadowbrook
Miller Hill
New Life
Pisgah
West Lenoir
Whitnel First

GROUP 5—HUDSON

Baton
Cajah's Mountain
Clark's Chapel
Clearview
Fellowship
Friendship
Harris Chapel
Hudson First
Lakeview
Mountain Grove
North Catawba
Poovey's Chapel
Union Grove

GROUP 6—GRANITE FALLS

Center Grove
Clover
Concord
Dry Ponds
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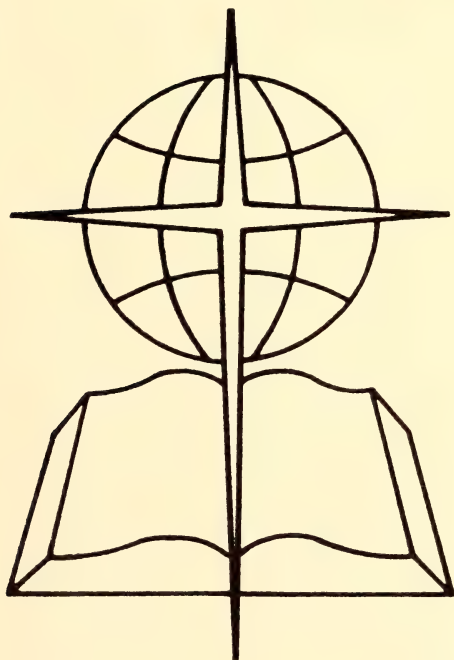
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**Caldwell County
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1990 Meetings of the Messengers
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ASSOCIATION

WINTER QUARTERLY MEETING

January 25, 1990
Miller Hill Baptist Church
Lenoir, North Carolina

Theme: *“Here’s Hope: Praying for the Master’s Power”*

SPRING QUARTERLY MEETING

April 19, 1990
First Baptist Church
Granite Falls, North Carolina

Theme: *“Here’s Hope: Proclaiming the Master’s Call”*

SUMMER QUARTERLY MEETING

July 26, 1990
Yadkin Baptist Church
Patterson, North Carolina

Theme: *“Here’s Hope: Carrying Out the Master’s Mission”*

FALL QUARTERLY MEETING

106th ANNUAL MEETING

October 25, 1990
Clover Baptist Church
Granite Falls, North Carolina

October 26, 1990
Lower Creek Baptist Church
Lenoir, North Carolina

Theme: *“Extending Christ’s Mission . . . in Caldwell County”*

Rev. Glenn Walker, Moderator

Ann Hatton, Clerk

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ANNUAL REPORTS

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY REPORT

Mrs. Ruth Greene, Representative
Baton Baptist Church

During 1989 churches contributed \$2,263,534 to the American Bible Society. This is the highest level of church support ever reported in a single year and represents a significant reversal of the recent downward trend in church giving for the Bible cause. The 1989 total is 32% higher than the total for 1988 and 24% above the most recent ten year average.

The American Bible Society is grateful to denominational and church leaders for their support of the Bible cause. This is especially true when many denominations are having to make adjustments in budget allocations because of fewer dollars. The Southern Baptist Convention gave \$229,232.00 to the American Bible Society during 1989. This is the second largest dollar gift of any denomination preceded only by the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.).

Churches showed a magnificent response to the Society's "Gifts of Love" program launched in May of 1989 to meet the challenge of sending Bibles and New Testaments to people in the USSR and Eastern Europe. Fully 25% - \$373,145.00 - of total church income in 1989 was raised in response to this unprecedented opportunity.

Despite the record level of giving by American churches to the American Bible Society last year, the single greatest obstacle to the realization of the vision of God's Word open for all is the chronic gap between available and required resources. The American Bible Society is only one member of the United Bible Societies, the global mission partnership of the Bible cause united around the coming goal of meeting the Scripture needs of all people, everywhere. Organized into four regions (Africa, the Americas, Asia/Pacific and Europe/Middle East), ABS partners maintain an active program of Scripture translation, production and distribution in over 200 countries and territories throughout the world. In each country the Bible Society works with churches and mission organizations to build Scripture programs which support the life and witness of the local Christian population. Through cooperative action at global level, the Bible Societies are able to make more Scriptures available, in more languages, at less cost, and in the most efficient manner for more people in their local and regional contexts.

Financial resources for Bible Society work were more or less sufficient until the early 1980s. Since that time, needs have continued to outstrip available funds. The ABS World Service Budget for 1990 reveals that the situation has become worse: barely two-thirds of the global program of Scripture translation, production and distribution can be financed.

The strain on financial resources is due to the great requests for Scripture coming from the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe. In addition, the successful mission practices of the churches in other regions of the world is resulting in a greater need of Scripture. As more and more people are reached by the Gospel, the need for Scripture grows.

The United Bible Societies are committed to sharing God's Word in the languages people speak. In 1989, twenty-one languages received at least one book of the Bible for the first time. This brings to 1,928, the total number of languages into which at least one book of the Bible has been translated. ABS translators are currently working

on translation projects in 605 additional languages worldwide.

One of the most widespread problems with which the Bible Societies must contend is the growing crises of illiteracy. It is estimated that one billion people are illiterate—one third of the world's adult population. The Bible Societies are committed to the goal of each person being able to read and write his or her own language. This commitment is demonstrated in the worldwide Good News for New Readers program. ABS currently produces and distributes New Reader Scriptures in more than 340 languages. Out of the estimated 3,000 - 6,000 languages spoken in the world today, only 78 have a developed literature; but more than 1,900 have part of the Scriptures. The very work of Scripture translations itself contributes in large measure to literacy.

The churches of America are a tremendous factor in helping the American Bible Society fulfill its mission of opening God's Word for all people. Efforts are underway to develop better lines of communication between the Society and the churches. The Society is also working closer with denominational leaders, involving seminaries and extending efforts to reach volunteers for the purpose of sharing God's Word with the world.

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

Rev. Frank Colburn
Lower Creek Baptist Church

The 1980s brought new challenges and opportunities to the Annuity Board staff, and the 1990s promise to continue this trend.

During the first six months of the new decade two major transitions occurred.

Paul W. Powell succeeded Donald H. Morgan as president of the Annuity Board on March 1.

On July 1, 1990, the Annuity Board began a relationship with The Prudential Insurance Company of America to provide life, medical and disability coverages.

The Annuity Board continues to be a healthy financial institution managing total assets of \$2.9 billion on June 30, 1990. The magnitude of that statistic can be overwhelming. But each dollar represents retirement income or life and health protection for a Christian servant in a Southern Baptist church or agency.

In the midst of the challenges and transitions of the 1990s it is reassuring to know the Board's ministry is exactly the same today as it was in 1918—to serve those who serve the Lord.

This is what is happening in North Carolina in 1990:

- There are now 2,162 North Carolina churches and associations contributing to retirement plans.
- North Carolina has 1,972 signed Cooperative Agreements! More than any other state!
- The number of churches participating in the old Plan A level of \$33.34 has *decreased* to less than 100.
- The average annuitant in North Carolina receives \$276.39 per month.

- North Carolina has 3,436 members making contributions to Annuity Board retirement plans.
- There are 1,889 annuities receiving benefits each month in North Carolina—\$522,109.84 each month!
- It is exciting to think about what has been done to help ministers retire with dignity. Strong efforts have been made to make all of our churches (and ministers) aware of the opportunities and the need to act on them.
- But there is still so much to be done! Consider these facts:

Only 64% of our churches are participating in our retirement plans—even after all these years of opportunity.

Of this 64%, many do not actually make contributions. The minister does this on his own.

Small contributions make the annuitant's benefits small: In North Carolina...

175 receive less than \$50
 463 receive less than \$100
 1,007 receive less than \$200
 1,295 receive less than \$300

We have 151 churches that have signed the Cooperative Agreement, but still make no contribution.

We have 457 churches that are making contributions but still have not signed the Cooperative Agreement.

- Suffice it is to say that there is a *great* challenge still before us to help ministers prepare for the future and to help churches be responsible employers.

—Associational Staff

ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Director
 Mount Zion Baptist Church

The Associational Council consists of the general directors of all mission performance programs, the associational officers, the associational office staff, the heads of each fellowship group, and the chairmen of the Finance and Strategy Committees. The purpose of the council is to plan and coordinate the overall program and calendar of the association.

The council fulfilled its purpose this year by meeting quarterly to review comp-

leted work and to coordinate upcoming activities. In addition, several meetings were held in late winter and into the spring to put together budget recommendations and calendar plans for the 1990-91 Associational Year.

The Calendar of Activities and the Associational Directory have been two separate publications for the association in the past. This year the council decided to combine the two publications into one handbook. The 1990-91 Handbook was presented to and approved by the messengers during their Summer Quarterly Meeting on July 26, 1990.

ASSOCIATIONAL MEETINGS COMMITTEE

Rev. Stuart White, Chairman
First Baptist Church of Whitnel

The 1989-90 Associational Meetings Committee composed of Karla Lowman, Dr. Paul Childers, Rev. Steve Crouse, Anna Dean Smith, Rev. Dan Redding and Rev. Stuart White have met a total of eight times during the year to plan the programs for the Quarterly Meetings and the Annual Meeting. The Committee has attempted to provide a balanced program.

The Quarterly Meetings were held at Miller Hill Baptist Church on January 25, 1990; First Baptist Church of Granite Falls on April 19, 1990; Yadkin Baptist Church on July 26, 1990. Our annual sessions are hosted by Clover Baptist Church on Thursday, October 25, 1990 and Lower Creek Baptist Church on Friday, October 26, 1990.

Our scheduled meeting places for 1991 are:

Winter Quarterly Meeting:	Thursday, January 24, 1991, 6:45 p.m. Concord Church Theme: "Extending Christ's Mission in North Carolina"
Spring Quarterly Meeting:	Thursday, April 25, 1991, 6:45 p.m. Setzer's Creek Church Theme: "Extending Christ's Mission.. In the United States"
Summer Quarterly Meeting:	Thursday, July 25, 1991, 6:45 p.m. Union Grove Church Theme: "Extending Christ's Mission... Around the World"
Fall (Annual) Meeting:	Thursday, October 24, 1991, 6:45 P.M. King's Creek Church Friday, October 25, 1991, 9:00 A.M. Flemings Chapel Church

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC. REPORT

Mrs. Donna Lail, Representative
Dudley Shoals Baptist Church

For One hundred and five years, Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina has been giving children a chance at life. This year we formalized that phrase into our first state-wide fund-raising campaign.

The "Give A Child A Chance!" campaign seeks to raise \$11 million over three years to expand Cameron Boys Camp, boost general operating income and increase endowment.

We will also be able to begin a before and after school care program in Davidson County, to give security to children of working couples, who won't have to go home to empty houses anymore.

Some of the new endowment earnings will increase training to help staff deal with ever changing needs among the 1,000 children and families they serve each year.

Baptist Men of North Carolina have agreed to build the new Tommy and Jeannie Eller Chuckwagon at Cameron, saving approximately \$75,000 in construction costs.

Children's hopes also were bolstered by the return of the Thanksgiving Offering voted by messengers to the 1989 state convention. While suffering through its 12-year absence, BCH lost more than 1 million in revenue.

In the change from a Homes and Hospital Offering to the Thanksgiving Offering, BCH will go 18 months without a special collection, a period that encompasses more than an entire fiscal year. For the past five years that special collection has meant \$400,000 to the ministry, a sum that will be difficult to make up in the 1990-91 Budget. Some churches, aware of the difficulty, have promised to begin receiving the Thanksgiving Offering in 1990.

The Cooperative Program continues to anchor our budget planning from the churches. We urge renewed commitment to cooperative giving among our North Carolina churches. It is essential, not only for us, but for the entire missions enterprise, built painstakingly for a century and a half. Baptist Children's Homes receives \$1.5 million from Cooperative Program recipients each year. That is the stackpole around which we build our other income planning. A decrease in Cooperative Program dollars to Baptist Children's Homes would seriously jeopardize our ability to care for children.

In August, BCH signed an agreement with Gaston County Department of Social Services to operate two emergency care homes owned by the county. That raises to 11 the number of emergency care homes BCH operates. That service, in which a child at risk of abuse or neglect can receive shelter right away, is the service most in demand throughout the state. Children stay a maximum of sixty days while BCH works with the custodian to determine a long-term plan of care.

In 1991 BCH will celebrate the 20th anniversary of the founding of Broyhill Home, our westernmost campus, in Waynesville/Clyde. With the help of J.E. Broyhill and his family, the home was opened in 1971 on 91 hilly acres. It has capacity for 48 children in group care and for eight girls in emergency care.

Baptist Children's Homes has a 105-year history. But its history is just the knot that ties it to a boundless, unbroken ribbon of promise that stretches beyond the future to wrap children and families with eternal blessing.

BAPTIST FOUNDATION REPORT

Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell, Representative
First Baptist Church of Lenoir

The North Carolina Baptist Foundation was chartered by the State of North Carolina in 1920 following action taken by the 1919 North Carolina Baptist Convention. The Trustee agency has only in recent years begun to have an impact in providing financial support for Baptist Institutions and mission causes.

The Baptist Foundation assists individuals in the establishment of endowment and trust funds. Through these funds, financial support is provided to the donor's chosen Christian cause or causes on a continuing basis for years to come, long after the donor's death.

From 1988 through May, 1990 the Foundation assets have increased by over \$13 million.

Trust income distributed to Baptist institutions and mission causes 1988 and 1989	\$1,106,930
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Trust income distributed to individuals with Baptist causes named as charitable remainderman during 1988-89	\$1,631,836
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Assets held in trust and endowment funds as of June 1, 1990	\$26,176,481
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Assets held in trust and endowment funds as of December 31, 1989	\$18,133,634
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PLEASE NOTE: Gifts of appreciated assets such as stock and real estate can be placed in trust to generate income for individuals and then pay income to Christian causes beyond their lifetime. (A member of the Lower Creek Baptist Church who recently passed away is an example of this). This plan often provides a significant increase in personal income, by-pass of capital gain taxes, creation of a charitable deduction for income tax and estate taxes, and assures an eventual gift to Christian endeavors.

A new home for the Baptist Foundation was built during 1989 and early 1990. The 6,000 square foot office building was constructed from gifts from individuals and is located on property provided by the Baptist State Convention next to the Baptist Building in Cary. This has provided much needed space for staff as well as for conferences and meetings. Baptist groups are invited to use the meeting rooms when in the Raleigh/Cary area. We extend an invitation to church groups to call and arrange a visit to the newest building used for the Lord's service by North Carolina Baptists.

The Foundation employs seven full-time employees and operates under the direction of a 20-member Board of Directors elected by the Baptist State Convention.

It was my privilege to share in a State North Carolina Foundation meeting at Camp Caraway, which was very informative. North Carolina Baptists can be proud of the work of Edwin S. Coates, Executive Director and his staff in the growth and development of this important phase of our NC Baptist Foundation.

BAPTIST HOSPITAL OF NORTH CAROLINA REPORT

Rev. Kenneth Little, Representative
College Avenue Baptist Church

"The largest health-science building program ever in North Carolina has changed the landscape on Hawthorne Hill, and the changes continue in rapid succession...One thing that hasn't changed is the institution's tradition for delivery of compassionate health care. That will never change." This statement, from Dr. Charles P. Nicholson, Jr., Baptist Hospital Trustee and Chairman of the Medical Center Board of Directors, is both a report and a commitment.

Another building in this \$190 million expansion program has recently been completed and occupied. The Clinical Sciences building will house most of the Medical Center's ambulatory services, and has been termed a "medical supermarket," where patients may do "one-stop shopping." The building will also accommodate an Ambulatory Surgery Unit, Medical Center administrative offices, and other functions. Nearing completion, is the Day Care Center for children of Medical Center employees. Under construction, is an addition to the MRI (Magnetic Resonance Imaging) building, and a significant addition to the Patient/Visitor Parking Deck. Construction on the Center on Aging building is scheduled to begin in early 1991 with the completion date set for the spring of 1993.

The purpose of all these new facilities, according to hospital president, Len B. Preslar, Jr., is to "enable us to respond to patient needs better than ever before." In addition to continuation and improvement of many established procedures, several new diagnostic and treatment programs have been started recently. The Organ Transplant Program added a new dimension when it performed the first single-lung transplant in North Carolina. Bone marrow transplants are also being performed now in our Baptist Hospital. A Cranio-facial Clinic, to correct major deformities of the skull and upper face during the first year of life, opened recently. New laser technology provides an improved method for clearing out atherosclerotic deposits in the carotid arteries of the neck. New surgical techniques make possible better treatment of complicated retinal detachment. Orthopedic surgeons began use of the Ilizarov Technique for the repair and lengthening of broken bones. New approaches are being used effectively in the treatment of children with Cerebral Palsy. Bowman Gray/Baptist Hospital is the only medical center in the nation using and evaluating Clinodean, a non-narcotic pain killer which has proven effective in controlling pain following surgery and for cancer patients.

Through these various services we provided 210,456 days of care for 22,607 patient admissions last year. In addition to these, there were approximately 388,000 ambulatory patient visits in the various clinics, the Emergency Department, the Day Hospital, and in Ambulatory Surgery. These patients came from all across North Carolina and from thirty-four other states. Also the number of patients being referred to us from foreign countries is increasing as the reputation of the Medical Center spreads throughout the world.

The Department of Pastoral Care continues to strengthen its reputation both as a service agency and as a teaching facility. Last year, the department provided more than 29,000 ministries to hospital patients, almost 19,000 services to families, and more than 14,000 services for hospital and church staff members and their families. The Minister's Care Plan, a joint program with the Baptist State Convention, had 1,446 sessions with more than 200 different clergy families last year. The new Missionary

Counseling and Support Services Program saw 48 individuals in its first six months. The Division of Clinical Pastoral Education/Chaplaincy had 53 students enrolled.

During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1990, the hospital received \$692,946.24 through the Cooperative Program and \$271,361.24 through the Homes and Hospital Offering and direct gifts. Cooperative Program funds are used for the Department of Pastoral Care, and other church gifts help to provide benevolent care for the financially needy patients. The hospital staff and patients are most grateful for this continuing financial support.

BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA REPORT

Rev. A.J. Singley, Representative
Mountain View Baptist Church

Making life for Older Adults the Best of Times is the continuing goal of Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina, Inc., which operates four residential facilities for Older Adults around the state—in Albemarle, Asheville, Hamilton, and Winston-Salem.

In Winston-Salem, Brookridge Retirement Community celebrates its first birthday in 1990. It is the largest of the facilities, providing five levels of care—independent living in garden homes, independent living in apartments, and assisted living, intermediate nursing care and skilled nursing in its healthcare unit—to 350 Older Adults. The residents have developed a strong community spirit.

Around the state, other homes face a promising year.

The Board of Trustees of Baptist Retirement Homes applied in July for permission to construct the 60 nursing care beds the state is allocating to Buncombe County in 1990.

State approval of its plans will be the next step toward adding a 60-bed healthcare unit to the Western North Carolina Baptist Home in Asheville, a unit offering skilled and intermediate nursing care. Currently the only nursing care provided by Baptist Retirement Homes is the 85-bed nursing care unit at Brookridge. The western part of our state has one of the fastest-growing populations of Older Adults.

The facilities in Albemarle and Hamilton provided assisted living in a residential setting to 30 Older Adults each. Both programs are greatly enhanced by the strong support of the surrounding community and its churches. The Brotherhood, WMU and senior adult clubs at many nearby churches provide fellowship, entertainment, skills and physical labor, household needs—whatever they see are needed by each home.

The Albemarle Baptist Home also offers respite care for those families who care for an Older Adult and need some time away from that responsibility. The cost of the care is paid by the family, and it provides overnight care for whatever length of time the family needs. It, and other alternative forms of residential care for Older Adults, are additional ways being explored by the Homes to meet the growing needs of the Older Adult Baptist population in this state.

Please pray for our ministry.

BROTHERHOOD COUNCIL REPORT

Earl Woods, Director
Mount Zion Baptist Church

August 20, 1990 was a special day for Baptist Men of the Caldwell Association. On that night, we met with our Christian brothers from Brazil who shared with us about their work in Brazil concerning missions and witnessing. Everyone left the meeting challenged to a dedicated service for our Lord.

On August 28, 1990 a new area for Baptist Men of the Caldwell Association was entered into. The Disaster Relief Committee set up a Disaster Relief Information Meeting at Fellowship Church. The meeting was well attended. Twenty-five men and women agreed to serve in case of disaster. Everyone involved with this project is well pleased with the good start.

The next Disaster Relief Meeting will be a training session here in our own association with all interested persons invited to attend. This training session will be held by Region 7 Disaster Relief Coordinator, Skip Green. It will begin at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, November 17, 1990. It will be held at the First Baptist Church of Hudson. The North Carolina Baptist Men's Disaster Relief Van will be there for viewing and to use during the training session.

Royal Ambassador Report

Caroll Hedrick, Director
Hartland Baptist Church

During the hot summer months of 1990 the R.A. and H.S.B.Y.M.'s Sports Committee worked hard to plan a Men and Boys Field Day and are in the process of getting the Basketball Program started for the winter months. Plans are also being made for the R.A. Conclave and R.A. Car Fun Run to be held in November.

The Men and Boys Field Day was held on August 11 at Redwood Park in Hudson. Approximately 50 to 60 men, boys and judges enjoyed several field day activities with boys and dads (or other adults) working together as teams. A number of items were collected from each boy to send to our missionaries in Brazil. Thanks to all the folks that made this first-ever event a big success.

The Associational R.A. Council and Sports Committee is looking forward to the coming 1990-91 year serving the Lord and involving men and boys in missions.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT

Harold Early, Representative
Mountain Grove Baptist Church

CAMPBELL—1887
MARS HILL—1856

CHOWAN—1848
MEREDITH—1891
WINGATE—1895

GARDNER-WEBB—1905
WAKE FOREST—1834

A preacher once entitled his sermon, "If Christ Is the Answer, What Is the Question?" The sermon had three points. "How can I live with myself?" "How can I live with others?" "How can I live with God?"

Your Baptist colleges attempt to confront students with life's most important questions:

What is the purpose and meaning of the created order?

How will I spend my one life?

How should I measure success?

How much is enough?

How can I best serve God and my fellow human beings?

The best gift churches and parents can give to their youth is a college education where Christian people are seeking answers to truly important questions. The Baptist college experience provides challenges and opportunities, in and out of classes, for young people to become whole, healthy persons both intellectually and spiritually. People who can think clearly about life, including faith and vocation, are the kind of persons needed to establish homes, grow churches and build a better world.

Colleges educate. Churches call persons to find faith and encourage spiritual growth. Colleges and churches, then, have distinct roles. Baptist colleges lead students to link learning with faith to produce whole, mature men and women equipped for a lifetime of learning and service.

No question about it, Baptist students and Baptist colleges belong together!

CHRISTIAN LIFE COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Glenn Walker, Director
Mount Zion Baptist Church

The Christian Life Council met several times during the past year and discussed many subjects relating to the area of Christian life.

We tried to determine some of the needs that we could directly address in our county and association.

Our council discussed the issue of state run lotteries and presented their results to the association. At the direction of the association, we mailed to each church an information pamphlet and a sample copy of a petition to be mailed to our state representatives.

The Christian Life Council will continue to seek ways in which to help our churches minister in the area of Christian Life.

CLERK'S REPORT

Ann Hatton
Kings Creek Baptist Church

WINTER QUARTERLY MEETING

Theme: *"Here's Hope: Praying for the Master's Power"*



Thursday, January 25, 1990
6:45 P.M.
Miller Hill Baptist Church

PROGRAM

6:45 PM	Call to Worship	Toby and Kim Smith
7:00	Scripture and Prayer	Rev. David Payne
7:05	Welcome	Rev. L.J. Culler
7:10	Call to Order	
	Adoption of Program	
	Recognition of visitors and first time messengers	Rev. Glenn Walker
7:15	Recognition of new pastors and staff	Rev. Dale Fisher
	Hymn No. 331: "Speak To My Heart"	Rev. Brooks Walker, Leader
	Collection of Registration Cards	Ushers
7:20	Director of Missions Report	Rev. Dale Fisher
7:25	Recommendations:	
	Minister's Conference	Rev. Stuart White
	Nominating Committee	Rev. Sherrill German
	Strategy Committee	Pete Underdown
7:40	Reports:	
	Clerk	Ann Hatton
	Treasurer	Jack Spainhour
	Personnel Committee	Rev. Joel Sellers
7:50	Miscellaneous Business and Announcements	Messengers
7:55	Hymn No. 319: "Higher Ground"	Rev. Brooks Walker, Leader
8:00	Calendar Emphasis	Marlene Alexander
8:10	Southern Baptist Home Missions	Ella Keller
8:15	"Here's Hope: Jesus Cares For You" (video) ...	Rev. Steve Crouse
	Commissioning Service for Caldwell Volunteers	Floyd Annas
8:20	Introduction of Program Personalities	Rev. Dan Redding
8:25	Message in Music	Toby and Kim Smith
8:30	"Praying for the Master's Power" ..	Rev. Charles (Buddy) Freeman
9:00	Adjournment of the Winter Quarterly Meeting ..	Rev. Glen Walker
	Benediction	Rev. Robert Livingston

PROCEEDINGS

1. The Winter Quarterly Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association began with music by Toby and Kim Smith of the Mountain Grove Baptist Church.
2. Rev. David Payne, Pastor of the Flemings Chapel Baptist Church read scripture from Acts 3:1-10 and led in prayer.
3. Messengers and visitors were welcomed to the Miller Hill Baptist Church by Interim Pastor, Rev. L.J. Culler.
4. Rev. Glenn Walker, Moderator, called the meeting to order and asked for the adoption of the programs as printed in the Winter Quarterly Book of Reports. The program was adopted as printed. Rev. Walker welcomed visitors and first-time messengers to the meeting.
5. Rev. Dale Fisher, Director of Missions recognized new pastors and staff present at the meeting. They were:

Rev. Paul Sizemore, Pastor, New Life Baptist Church

Rev. Stanley Townsend, Interim Pastor, First Baptist Church of Rhodhiss

Rev. L.J. Culler, Interim Pastor, Miller Hill Baptist Church

Rev. Fisher also recognized special guest Ken Batts, Associate Director, Stewardship Development, Baptist State Convention. Rev. Batts is the state representative to the Caldwell Association in the "Convention Association Relation Enhancement" program sponsored by the Baptist State Convention of N.C. which began in 1989.

6. Rev. Brooks Walker, Associational Music Council Director, led the congregation as they sang "Speak to My Heart."
7. Rev. Fisher gave his Director of Missions Report, praising Caldwell Baptists for the work they are doing. He re-emphasized the need for mission volunteers, especially for the 1990 Brazil mission trips.
8. The following recommendations were presented at the Winter Quarterly Meeting:
 - a. Rev. Stuart White, President of the Ministers' Conference, stated that the Ministers' Conference had voted to change the format of the Ministers' Conference Meetings. The new plan is to meet on the first Wednesday of each month at 10:00 a.m. at the Baptist Center with all who so desire going to the Western Sizzlin Steak House for an extended time of fellowship. The other meeting each month will be on the third Monday evening and will be at one of the churches, (using a different church each month). Both the Ministers' Conference and the Minister's Wives' Fellowship Group are planned for this time. Plans include providing child care during this meeting. Once a quarter there will be a joint meeting with a meal.
In view of this change, the recommendation was made to amend the Associational Calendar to accommodate these changes. The recommendation was approved.
 - b. Rev. Sherrill German, Nominating Committee member, presented two recommendations from the Nominating Committee:

RECOMMENDATION 1

The Nominating Committee recommends the following persons to serve as...

1990-91 MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAM DIRECTORS

Brotherhood — Earl Woods
 Christian Life — Bob Lowman
 Discipleship Training — Jack Sprinkle
 Evangelism — Clifton Black
 Family Ministry — Michael Issacs
 Media Library — Bobbi Watson
 Missions Development — Joann Propst
 Music Ministry — Brooks Walker
 Pastoral Ministries — Dale Larew
 Prayer — Dolores Leftwich
 Recreation — Joe Gibbons
 Seminary Extension — Delores Hawkins
 Stewardship — Joann Kincaid
 Sunday School — Doug Jordan
 W.M.U —

RECOMMENDATION 2

The Nominating Committee recommends the following persons to fill vacancies that have occurred since the start of the 1989-90 associational year:

—Nominating Committee Chairman: Rev. Paul White (1/25 - 9/30/90)

—Nominating Committee Member (District V): Mrs. Donna Joplin (1/25 - 9/30/90)

Both recommendations presented by the Nominating Committee were approved.

- c. Pete Underdown, Chairman of the Strategy Committee, presented recommendations for amendments to the Constitution and Bylaws. The proposed amendments were presented as information to the messengers during the Fall Annual Meeting in accordance with the Constitution and Bylaws of the Caldwell Baptist Association. The amendments, as printed in the 1989 Annual Minutes on page 84, were approved by the messengers of the 1990 Winter Quarterly Meeting.
9. Ann Hatton, Clerk, informed the messengers that the 1989 Annual Minutes were available and could be picked up following the meeting. The messengers were also commended for their attendance at the 1989 Quarterly Meetings with an average attendance of 217.
10. The Associational Treasurer's Report was presented by Treasurer, Jack Spainhour.
11. Rev. Joel Sellers, Chairman of the Personnel Committee, gave an update on the progress being made in the search for a Church Development Director. Contact has been made with several state conventions and applications are being received.
12. Rev. Walker led the congregation in singing the hymn "Higher Ground."
13. Clowns, directed by Marlene Alexander, gave the quarterly calendar emphasis. Special attention was given to the July mission trip to Oklahoma City. The trip is being coordinated by Mrs. Alexander who is the Associational Home Missions Promotion and Projects Director.
14. Ella Keller, Associational Home Missions Representative, gave a moving appeal for Home Mission support. She gave special emphasis to the 1990 Home Missions offering. The Associational goal for this offering is \$90,000.00.
15. The promotional video for the 1990 "Here's Hope: Jesus Cares for You" revival emphasis was reviewed by the messengers.
16. Floyd Annas, Associational State Missions Promotion and Projects Director, led a Commissioning Service for Caswell volunteers. Rev. Bob Lowman led the commissioning prayer. The following twenty-four people participated in the 1990 Work Week at Caswell:

CENTER GROVE	COLLEGE AVENUE	DRY PONDS
Mr./Mrs. Fred Mitcham	Curtis Moore	Mr./Mrs. Curtis Powell
Mr./Mrs. Thomas Calloway	Terry Barnes	
	Mr./Mrs. L.G. Tomlinson	KINGS CREEK
HUDSON FBC	Dave Bumgarner	Bob Lowman
Hovis Allen		Clay Hedrick
Ken Sullivan	HARTLAND	Steve Hedrick
Earl Keller	Caroll Hedrick	

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Mr./Mrs. Floyd Annas

Walter Callis

Dale Fisher

Mr./Mrs. R.B. Miller, Jr.

Mr./Mrs. Earl Woods

17. Rev. Dan Redding, member of the Associational Meetings Committee, introduced special music performers, Toby and Kim Smith, and Rev. Charles "Buddy" Freeman, Assistant Director, Office of Admissions for Church Relations, Gardner-Webb College, guest speaker.
18. After a selection of special music by Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Rev. Freeman brought his message. He read scripture from Luke 11:1 and used the theme of the 1990 Winter Quarterly Meeting "Here's Hope: Praying for the Master's Power" as his subject. His message was a short lesson on learning how to pray.
19. Rev. Glenn Walker, Moderator, adjourned the meeting, which was followed with the benediction by Rev. Robert Livingston.

ATTENDANCE REPORT

136 Messengers

39 Visitors

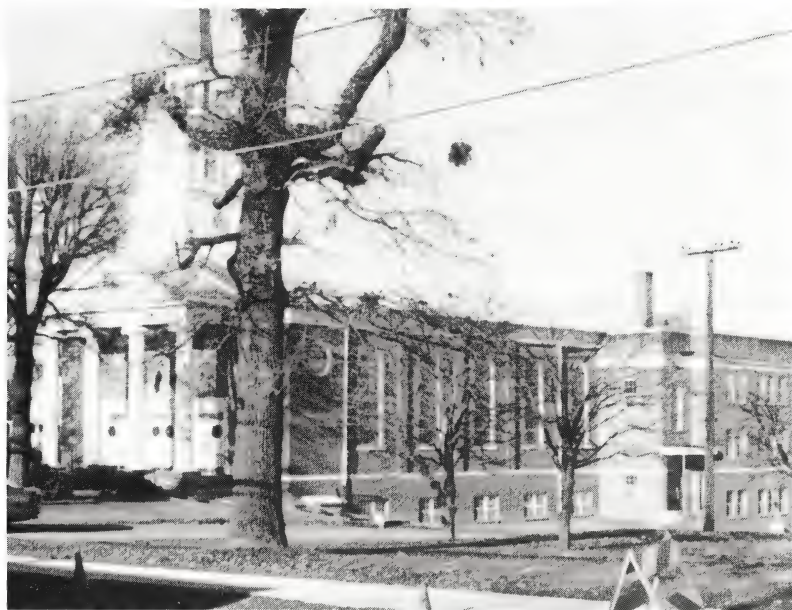
175 Total

There were 28 pastors present. The following 41 churches were represented at the Winter Quarterly Meeting:

Baton — 3	Lenoir FBC — 5 (pastor)
Bethany — 1 (pastor)	Livingston Memorial — 4
Buffalo Cove — 1 (pastor)	Lower Creek — 9 (pastor)
Calvary — 3	Meadowbrook — 3
Center Grove — 8 (pastor)	Miller Hill — 11 (pastor)
Central — 5	Mount Carmel — 1
Clarks Chapel — 2	Mount Zion — 9 (pastor)
Clover — 4	Mountain Grove — 7 (pastor)
College Avenue — 2 (pastor)	Mountain View — 3 (pastor)
Dry Ponds — 1 (pastor)	Mulvale — 1 (pastor)
Dudley Shoals — 8 (pastor)	New Life — 3 (pastor)
Fellowship — 4	North Catawba — 9 (pastor)
Flemings Chapel — 4 (pastor)	Oak Grove — 3 (pastor)
Friendship — 8 (pastor)	Pooveys Chapel — 1 (pastor)
Granite Falls FBC — 1	Rhodhiss FBC — 2 (pastor)
Harrisburg — 3 (pastor)	Setzers Creek — 3 (pastor)
Hudson FBC — 8 (pastor)	Sunrise — 1
Hartland — 6 (pastor)	Union — 1
Kings Creek — 4 (pastor)	Union Grove — 2
Lakeview — 4 (pastor)	Yadkin — 5 (pastor)
	Visitors — 2

SPRING QUARTERLY MEETING

Theme: *"Here's Hope: Proclaiming the Master's Call"*



Thursday, April 19, 1990
6:45 P.M.
First Baptist Church
Granite Falls, North Carolina

PROGRAM

6:45 PM	Call to Worship	Instrumentalists
7:00	Scripture and Prayer	Rev. Steve Crouse
7:05	Welcome	Dr. Robert Evans
7:10	Call to Order	
	Adoption of Program	
	Recognition of visitors and first time messengers	Rev. Glenn Walker
7:15	Recognition of new pastors and staff	Rev. Dale Fisher
	Hymn No. 33: "To God Be the Glory"	Pam Johnston, Leader
	Collection of Registration Cards	Ushers
7:20	Brazil Partnership Update	Rev. Robert Livingston
7:25	Commissioning Service for Mission Volunteers .	Marlene Alexander
7:30	Director of Missions Report	Rev. Dale Fisher
7:35	Calendar Emphasis	
7:40	N.C. Baptist Children's Homes	Donna Lail
	N.C. Baptist Retirement Homes	Rev. A.J. Singley
7:50	Recommendations:	
	Christian Life Council	Rev. Roger Mercer
	Nominating Committee	Rev. Paul White
	Properties Committee	Lewis Miller
	Reports:	
	Clerk	Ann Hatton
	Treasurer's	Jack Spainhour
	Personnel Committee	Rev. Joel Sellers
8:05	Miscellaneous Business and Announcements	Messengers
8:10	Prayer	Dolores Leftwich
8:15	Hymn No. 475 "Victory In Jesus"	Pam Johnston, Leader
8:20	Introduction of Personalities	Rev. Stuart White
8:25	Message in Music	Associational Choir
8:30	Message: "Proclaiming the Master's Call"	Rev. Mack Roberts
9:00	Adjournment of the Spring Quarterly Meeting ..	Rev. Glenn Walker
	Benediction	Dr. Clifton Black

PROCEEDINGS

1. Organist Tim Warren gave the call to worship as messengers and visitors gathered for the Spring Quarterly Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association.
2. Rev. Steve Crouse read scripture from II Chronicles, chapter 7, verse 14 and led in prayer.
3. Dr. Robert Evans, pastor of the host church, extended a welcome from the First Baptist Church of Granite Falls to all those present.
4. Rev. Glenn Walker, Moderator, called the meeting to order and asked for the adoption of the program as printed with the following corrections: (1) Lewis Miller, Properties Committee Chairman, could not be present; therefore, he asked Director of Missions Dale Fisher to present the report and recommendations from the Properties Committee; (2) In the absence of Joel Sellers, Chairman of the Personnel Committee, Doug Jordan would give an update on the progress the Personnel

Committee is making in their search for a Church Development Director. The program was adopted as printed with the above changes. All first-time messengers and special visitors were asked to stand and be recognized.

5. All new pastors and staff, who had begun work in the Caldwell Association since the last Quarterly Meeting, were asked to stand. Those present were Dr. Bob Mellichamp and his wife Anita from the Baton Baptist Church.
6. Pam Johnston, Minister of the First Baptist Church of Granite Falls, led the congregation as they sang, "To God Be the Glory."
7. Rev. Robert Livingston, Foreign Missions Promotion and Projects Director, reissued a challenge for volunteers to go to Brazil.
8. A commissioning service for mission volunteers planning to go to Oklahoma City in July was led by Marlene Alexander, Home Missions Promotion and Projects Director. She requested that everyone begin praying now that the mission trip to Oklahoma City would be a safe and fruitful experience for all those involved.
9. Rev. Dale Fisher presented the Director of Missions report. He gave insight into the planning process used by the program councils as they prepare for their work in the new year. In addition, he shared details of events sponsored by the association for the coming quarter.
10. Donna Lail, N.C. Baptist Children's Homes Representative and Rev. A.J. Singley, N.C. Retirement Homes Representative, gave update on the work their agencies are involved in and that need which they continue to face.
11. Rev. Roger Mercer, Moral Concerns Director of the Christian Life Council, brought the following recommendation: That the association mail to each church a petition prepared by the Christian Life Council concerning opposition to the proposed North Carolina state lottery. The petition is to be used by each church as they see fit. Motion was made and passed that the association proceed with this action.
12. The recommendation for the proposed 1990-91 Associational Leadership was presented by Rev. Paul White, Chairman of the Associational Nominating Committee. A list of the proposed leaders was mailed to each messenger prior to the meeting and the list was included in the Spring Quarterly Book of Reports. Motion was made and passed that the recommendation be accepted.
13. Rev. Fisher, speaking for Lewis Miller, Properties Committee Chairman, brought the following recommendations:

RECOMMENDATION 1: CALDWELL COTTAGE

The Properties Committee recommends that doors be purchased and installed on the six showers at the Caldwell Cottage for a cost of \$800.00. Weighted shower curtains have failed to work on the showers and water running onto the floor is a constant problem.

RECOMMENDATION 2: CALDWELL COTTAGE

The Properties Committee recommends that the fire escape built last year be stained at an estimated cost of \$125.00.

RECOMMENDATION 3: CALDWELL BAPTIST CENTER

A sink hole has developed in the front parking lot at the Baptist Center. The Properties Committee is in the process of repairing the hole. This includes digging out the hole and then filling it with reinforced concrete.

The Committee recommends that the front lot and the short service drive behind the building be paved and that parking stripes be painted on the front lot at an estimated cost of \$3,000.00. It is recommended that the C. Nelson Sigmon Paving and Landscaping of Conover do the paving and striping work.

RECOMMENDATION 4: CALDWELL BAPTIST CENTER

The Properties Committee recommends that the "Caldwell Baptist Center" letters be removed from the building and mounted on a beige colored aluminum panel with a bronze pinstripe border. The panel with the letters will then be mounted to the brick and will cover all of the drill holes that currently show on the building. The Action Sign Company of Lenoir has agreed to do this work for \$446.25.

RECOMMENDATION 5: CALDWELL BAPTIST CENTER

Hugo, the storm, did damage to one of the panels that rings the top of the Baptist Center. The panel that was broken was made out of asbestos. Because of this, it has been difficult to locate a replacement panel. It has been determined that another type of panel will have to be used on the building which will require painting the entire ring of panels. The Properties Committee recommends that the best possible price for materials and labor be found and that permission be given to the Properties Committee by the messengers to proceed with the work as soon as possible.

Each recommendation was approved by the messengers.

Rev. Fisher noted that following the above improvements, the amount budgeted for building and maintenance improvements would be depleted. He recommended that the messengers give the Properties Committee and the Treasurer permission to use whatever funds necessary for maintenance on associational properties for the remaining six months of the associational year. Motion was made and passed that this recommendation be accepted.

14. Reports from the clerk, treasurer and the Personnel Committee were given as information.
15. Moderator opened the floor for any miscellaneous business. None was presented by the messengers.
16. Pam Johnston led the congregation in singing the hymn "Victory In Jesus."
17. Rev. Stuart White, Chairman of the Associational Meetings Committee, recognized various program personalities and introduced the guest speaker, Rev. Mack Roberts, President, Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute.
18. Special music was presented by the Associational Choir. They sang three selections from the "Here's Hope, Jesus Cares for You" Revival Choir Songbook.
19. Rev. Roberts brought the message using I Corinthians for the text and "Here's Hope: Proclaiming the Master's Call" as the theme. He challenged all present to really want revival and to let it begin within each person's own life.
20. Moderator Walker adjourned the meeting and Rev. Denning gave the benediction.

ATTENDANCE REPORT

98 Messengers Present

24 Visitors

122 Total Present

There were 18 pastors present. The following 32 churches were represented at the Spring Quarterly Meeting:

Baton — 4 (pastor)	Mount Zion — 15 (pastor)
Buffalo Cove — 3 (pastor)	Mountain Grove — 5 (pastor)
Calvary — 2	Mountain View — 1 (pastor)
Central — 4	Mulvale — (pastor)
Clover — 4 (pastor)	North Catawba — 9
Dudley Shaols — 9 (pastor)	Poovey's Chapel — 1 (pastor)
Friendship — 5 (pastor)	Rhodhiss FBC — 3
Granite Falls FBC — 6 (pastor)	Setzers Creek — 2 (pastor)
Hudson FBC — 3	Temple Hill — 1
Kings Creek — 4 (pastor)	Union — 3
Lakeview — 3 (pastor)	Union Grove — 4 (pastor)
Livingston Memorial — 2	Whitnel FBC — 9 (pastor)
Lower Creek — 3	Yadkin — 2 (pastor)
Meadowbrook — 2	Visitors — 1
Mount Carmel — 1	

SUMMER QUARTERLY MEETING

Theme: *"Here's Hope: Carrying Out the Master's Mission"*



Thursday, July 26, 1990
6:45 P.M.
Yadkin Baptist Church

PROGRAM

6:45 PM	Call to Worship	Ed and Marji Elzey
7:00	Scripture and Prayer	Rev. Paul Sizemore
7:05	Welcome	Rev. Robert Livingston
7:10	Call to Order	
	Adoption of Program	
	Recognition of visitors and first time messengers	
	Recognition of new pastors and staff	Rev. Glenn Walker
7:51	Hymn No. 411: "Serve the Lord With Gladness"	Rev. Sherrill German
	Collection of Registration Cards	Ushers
7:20	State Missions	Fran Propst
7:25	Home Missions	Bob and Karla Lowman
7:30	Brazil Commissioning Service	Rev. Robert Livingston
7:35	Hymn No. 362 "Come All Christians, Be Committed"	Rev. Sherrill German, Leader
	Reports:	
	Clerk	Ann Hatton
	Treasurer	Jack Spainhour
7:50	Recommendations:	
	1990-91 Calendar of Activities	Rev. Mike Isaacs
	1990-91 Ministry Budget	Rev. Don Ingle
	Personnel Committee	Ronald Beane
8:10	Miscellaneous Business and Announcements	Messengers
8:15	"Calendar Concentration"	Rev. Dan Redding
8:20	Hymn No. 366: "Take My Life, Lead Me Lord"	Rev. Sherrill German, Leader
8:25	Introduction of Program Personalities	Rev. Gilbert Blackburn
8:30	"Carrying Out the Master's Mission in Mime/Music"	Ed and Marji Elzey
9:00	Adjournment of the Summer Quarterly Meeting	Rev. Glenn Walker
	Benediction	Rev. Glenn Walker

PROCEEDINGS

1. Marji Elzey with Regal Adventures of Shelby, North Carolina, gave the call to worship as visitors and messengers gathered for the Summer Quarterly Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association.
2. Rev. Paul Sizemore, Pastor of the New Life Baptist Church, read scripture from Mark chapter 6 and led in prayer.
3. Rev. Robert Livingston, pastor of the host church, extended a welcome from the Yadkin Baptist Church.
4. Moderator, Rev. Glenn Walker, called the meeting to order and asked for the adoption of the printed program. The program was approved as printed. First time messengers and visitors were recognized by the Moderator. New pastors and staff present were:
 Rev. Dusty Bradshaw, Associate Pastor, Dudley Shoals Church
 Rev. Gary Hayes, Pastor, Meadowbrook Church

Dr. William (Bill) Lamb, Interim Pastor, Union Church

Dr. Robert (Bob) Wiggins, Pastor, Rhodhiss FBC

5. Rev. Sherrill German, Minister of Music for the Yadkin Baptist Church, led the congregation as they sang, "Serve the Lord with Gladness."
6. Fran Propst, member of the Lower Creek Baptist Church, brought the State Missions Report.
7. Rev. Bob Lowman, Pastor of the Kings Creek Baptist Church, and his wife, Karla, gave the Home Missions Report. The report included a live conversation with our Director of Missions, Dale Fisher, who was on a mission trip to Oklahoma City. Rev. Fisher and thirty-five other Caldwell Baptists from eleven associational churches were in Oklahoma City doing Backyard Bible Clubs and other mission activities.
8. The Commissioning Service for the August and September Brazil mission volunteers was conducted by Rev. Robert Livingston. He led the group in a time of commitment and then asked Rev. Glenn Walker to give the prayer of dedication. The August and September Brazil Mission Volunteers are:

AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	WMU TEAM
John Barnhart	Wayne Braswell	Alma Helton
Herbert McCoy	Claude Griffin	Joann Propst
Doug Jordan	Steve Hollar	Mildred Roberts
Lloyd Nichols	Robert Livingston	
	Lewis Miller	
	Ken Sullivan	
9. Sherrill German led the congregation as they sang "Come All Christians, Be Committed."
10. Ann Hatton, Clerk, gave the Clerk's Report.
11. Jack Spainhour, Associational Treasurer, gave his report. Motion was made and approved that the Treasurer's Report be accepted as printed.
12. Rev. Michael Isaacs, brought the recommendation from the Associational Council to approve the 1990-91 Calendar of Activities found in the 1990-91 Associational Handbook. The annual publications of the Calendar of Activities and the Associational Directory were combined this year into a handbook.
13. The following motions were made by Rev. Don Ingle, Associational Finance Committee Chairman:
 - a. The Finance Committee moved that the 1990-91 Ministry Budget be approved as printed.
 - b. During 1991, evangelistic crusades will be held throughout the state of Sao Paulo, Brazil as a part of the Sao Paulo/North Carolina Partnership. The Baptist State Convention of Sao Paulo has asked the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina for \$50,000.00 to help with the expenses of materials and advertising. The Baptist State Convention of North Carolina is budgeting \$25,000.00 and would like the N.C. Baptist Associations involved in the partnership to contribute the other \$25,000.00. Each association has been asked to contribute \$750.00. Motion was made by the Finance Committee, that the association contribute the requested amount during the 1989-90 Associational Year and that the money be taken from the associational reserve fund.
 - c. Motion was also made by the Finance Committee, that the association pay all of the moving expenses for the new Church Development Director and that the money be taken from the associational reserve fund.

All motions made by the Finance Committee were approved. No questions were asked nor discussion made by those present.

14. The following recommendation was brought by Ronald Beane, Personnel Committee member:

“The Personnel Committee recommends that the Caldwell Baptist Association call Rev. Daniel Lipp as Church Development Director for the association.” Dr. Billy Rivers, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Hudson made the motion to accept the Personnel Committee’s recommendation. The motion was seconded. The floor was opened for questions or discussion by the messengers. None was made. Vote was taken and it was approved to call Rev. Lipp to serve as Church Development Director. He will begin his duties on October 1, 1990.

15. Rev. Dan Redding, Pastor of the Center Grove Baptist Church, gave the calendar emphasis for August, September and October.
16. Ed and Marji Elzey warmed the hearts of all present by “Carry Out the Master’s Mission in Mime and Music.”
17. Moderator Walker called for the adjournment of the 1990 Summer Quarterly Meeting. Rev. Dean Harrold, Pastor of the Poovey’s Chapel Baptist Church, gave the benediction.

ATTENDANCE REPORT

126 Messengers Present

27 Visitors

153 Total Present

There were 19 pastors present. The following 32 churches were represented at the Summer Quarterly Meeting:

Batton — 3 (pastor)
 Buffalo Cove — 4 (pastor)
 Center Grove — 7 (pastor)
 Central — 1
 Clarks Chapel — 9 (pastor)
 Clover — 2
 Dry Ponds — 1 (pastor)
 Dudley Shoals — 9 (pastor)
 Fellowship — 2
 Friendship — 1
 Hudson FBC — 9 (pastor)
 Kings Creek — 5 (pastor)
 Lakeview — 3 (pastor)
 Lenoir FBC — 3
 Lower Creek — 7
 Meadowbrook — 3 (pastor)

Miller Hill — 2
 Mt. Zion — 10 (pastor)
 Mountain Grove — 1
 Mountain View — 1
 Nelsons Chapel — 1 (pastor)
 North Catawba — 7 (pastor)
 Oak Grove — 2
 Poovey’s Chapel — 3 (pastor)
 Rhodhiss FBC — 8 (pastor)
 Setzer’s Creek — 7 (pastor)
 Union — 6 (pastor)
 Union Grove — 2
 Whitnel FBC — 7
 Yadkin — 16 (pastor)
 Visitors — 2

FALL QUARTERLY MEETING

106th Annual Meeting

Theme: *"Extending Christ's Mission . . . in Caldwell County"*

FIRST SESSION



Thursday, October 25, 1990
6:45 P.M.
Clover Baptist Church

PROGRAM

First Session

"Growing in Awareness, Knowledge and Cooperation"

6:45 P.M.	Call to Worship	Kim Wickes
6:55	Welcome	Bill McNeill
7:00	Call to Order	
	Adoption of Program	
	Recognition of visitors and messengers	Glenn Walker
	Recognition of new pastors and staff	Dale Fisher
7:10	Theme Interpretation	Paul Childers
7:20	Presentation of the Caldwell Baptist Association	
7:25	Membership Committee Recommendations	Robert Evans
7:30	Hymn No. 6 "Praise the Lord, the Almighty"	Steve Crouse, Leader
7:35	Welcome our Church Development Director	Joel Sellers
	Director's Response	Dan Lipp
7:50	Recognition of Mission Volunteers	Joann Propst
8:05	Hymn No. 258 "'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"	Steve Crouse, Leader
8:10	Introduction of Guest Program Leaders	Dale Fisher
8:15	Testimony and Song	Kim Wickes
8:30	Missionary Message	Dennis Blackmon
9:00	Benediction	Bob Mellichamp
	Adjournment until Second Session	

PROCEEDINGS

First Session

1. The one hundred sixth Annual Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association was called to worship with a musical selection by the guest soloist, Miss Kim Wickes.
2. Rev. Bill McNeill, Pastor of the host church, welcomed those present.
3. Moderator, Rev. Glenn Walker, called the meeting to order and asked for the adoption of the printed program. Motion was made and approved to adopt the program as printed in the Book of Reports. The moderator recognized first time visitors and messengers.
4. Director of Missions, Rev. Dale Fisher, recognized all new pastors and staff present. Those present were:
 Mr. & Mrs. Fletcher, Minister of Education, Concord Baptist Church
 Rev. & Mrs. Rick Crouse, Pastor-Elect, Dry Ponds Baptist Church
 Wayne Caviness, Minister of Education/Youth, Whitnel FBC
 Rev. & Mrs. Stanley Townsend, Interim Pastor, Union Baptist Church
5. Dr. Paul Childers, member of the Associational Meetings Committee, gave the theme interpretation. He used as his text, Acts 20, verses 28-38. The theme for session one was "Growing Awareness, Knowledge and Cooperation."

6. Rev. Steve Crouse, member of the Associational Meetings Committee, presented a slide presentation of all the churches in the Caldwell Baptist Association.
7. Dr. Bob Evans, Chairman of the Associational Membership Committee, brought the report from his committee. The Membership Committee presented three items of business.
 - a. The first item was presented only as information. It stated that the Indian Hills Baptist Church has requested to become a member of the Caldwell Baptist Association and that the Membership Committee is now on the process of studying their request.
 - b. The second item of business concerned the Dry Ponds Baptist Church. After a year of watchcare, the Committee moved that the Dry Ponds Church be received into full fellowship with the Caldwell Baptist Association. The motion was seconded and approved. Rev. Willard Jenkins, Interim Pastor of the Dry Ponds Church, responded to the welcome with words from the church.
 - c. The third item of business concerned the Lovelady Baptist Church. The Lovelady Church has requested to be deleted from membership in the association. In compliance with their wishes, the committee moved that their request be granted. The motion was seconded and approved.
8. Messengers were instructed by the Moderator to read the proposed amendment to Article V: Membership, which is included in the Strategy Committee Report. They were informed that discussion and votes would be taken on this change at the Winter Quarterly Meeting on January 24, 1991.
9. Rev. Steve Crouse led the congregation as they sang the hymn "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty."
10. Rev. Joel Sellers, Chairman of the Personnel Committee, welcomed Rev. Dan Lipp to the association. Rev. Lipp began his duties as the first ever Church Development Director on October 1, 1990.

Rev. Lipp responded to his welcome with words of thanks. He also shared thoughts on the hopes and dreams he has for his job in this association.
11. Joann Propst, Director of the Missions Development Council, recognized the Promotion and Projects Directors of each phase of mission work the association was involved in last year. Each director gave a brief summary of the work done and recognized those involved in the project. A list of all mission volunteers can be found in the Missions Development Council Report. This year, a total of thirty-five Caldwell Baptist Churches have been involved in volunteer missions.
12. Rev. Steve Crouse led the congregation as they sang, "'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus."
13. Moderator Walker led in a special prayer time for the crises the world is facing in the Middle East.
14. Dale Fisher introduced the guest program leaders: Kim Wickes, Chairman of Kim's Ministries, Inc. from West Memphis, Arkansas and Dr. Dennis Blackmon, Director of Missions of the Piedmont Baptist Association and former missionary to Brazil.
15. Testimony and song were shared by Kim Wickes, guest soloist.
16. Dr. Blackmon spoke using Acts 13, verses 1-5 as his text. He challenged us to be a spirit-led church with everyone serving as God-called missionaries.
17. Dr. Bob Mellichamp, Pastor of the Baton Baptist Church, gave the benediction and the first session was adjourned.

SECOND SESSION



Friday, October 26, 1990

9:00 A.M.

Lower Creek Baptist Church

PROGRAM

Second Session

"Giving Time, Talents and Treasures"

9:00 AM	Call to Worship.....	Kim Wickes
9:15	Welcome	Joel Sellers
9:20	Call to Order	
	Recognition of visitors, messengers	
	new pastors and staff	Glenn Walker
9:25	Theme Interpretation	Karla Lowman
9:35	Hymn No. 347 "I Surrender All"	Gilbert Blackburn, Leader
9:40	Recognition of Associational Leadership.....	Dale Fisher
9:50	Clerk's Report	Ann Hatton
9:55	Treasurer's Report	Jack Spainhour
10:00	Miscellaneous Business and Announcements	Messengers
10:05	Hymn No. 455 "The Longer I Serve Him"	Gilbert Blackburn, Leader
10:10	General Board Report	Billy Rivers
10:15	Trustees Committee Recommendation	John DeMauro
10:25	Strategy Committee Recommendation	Pete Underdown
10:30	Personnel Committee Recommendation	Joel Sellers
10:35	Church Missions Development.....	Bobby Stafford
10:50	Hymn No. 50 "Blessed Be the Name" ..	Gilbert Blackburn, Leader
10:55	State of the Association	Dale Fisher
11:20	Introduction of Guest Speaker	Stuart White
	Special Music	Kim Wickes
11:30	Annual Sermon	David Smith
12 Noon	Prayer of Blessing	Robert Wiggins
	Instructions for lunch	
	— Enjoy lunch and visit the exhibition booths —	

PROCEEDINGS

1. Kim Wickes called the second session of the Annual Meeting to worship with a beautiful selection of hymns.
2. Rev. Joel Sellers, Pastor of the host church, extended the welcome from the Lower Creek Baptist Church.
3. Vice Moderator, Rev. Stuart White, called the second session of the Caldwell Baptist Association Annual Meeting to order.
4. Karla Lowman, member of the Associational Meetings Committee, gave the second session theme interpretation. The theme for the second session was "Giving Time, Talents and Treasures." She read from Matthew, chapter 25, verses 14-30.
5. Rev. Gilbert Blackburn led the congregation as they sang, "I Surrender All."
6. The Associational Leadership for 1990-91 was recognized by Director of Missions, Dale Fisher.

7. Associational Clerk, Ann Hatton, gave the Clerk's Report and expressed a special thank you to everyone who helped in compiling the information.
8. The Financial Report was presented by the Associational Treasurer, Jack Spainhour. He challenged the churches to continue their faithfulness in associational giving, prompting them to realize that the 1990-91 Associational Budget shows a significant increase and that it can only be achieved with their help.
9. The floor was opened for a time of miscellaneous business. None was presented. Announcement was made to encourage messengers and visitors to visit the Exhibition Room which was set up at the church. Pamphlets and brochures from various councils, agencies and commissions were on display.
10. The congregation sang, "The Longer I Serve Him," led by Rev. Gilbert Blackburn.
11. Rev. Dale Fisher, speaking for Rev. John DeMauro, Chairman of the Trustees Committee, brought the following recommendation from the Trustees Committee: The messengers voted at the 1988 Annual Meeting to incorporate the Caldwell Baptist Association. With instructions from the messengers to proceed with the process of incorporation, the Trustees worked on, completed and presented to the messengers, copies of the Articles of Incorporation at the July, 1990 Quarterly Meeting of the Association. The Trustees Committee recommended that the Articles of Incorporation be approved as printed in the Trustees Committee Report. Motion was made and seconded. No discussion or opposition was voiced so the recommendation was approved.
12. Pete Underdown, Chairman of the Strategy Committee, presented the following recommendation: At the July, 1990 Quarterly Meeting of the Association, messengers were presented with the changes to the Constitution and Bylaws which would be discussed and voted on at the Annual Meeting. The Strategy Committee recommended that those changes be approved as printed in the Strategy Committee Report. Motion was made and seconded with no discussion and the changes were approved.
13. Personnel Committee Chairman, Joel Sellers, brought the following recommendation from the Personnel Committee: A Job Description for Financial Secretary was presented to the messengers during the July, 1990 Quarterly Meeting. The Personnel Committee recommended that the job description be approved. Motion was made, seconded and approved with no discussion.
14. Bobby Stafford, Director of Associational Development for the Baptist State Convention spoke to the association on Church Missions Development. He read scripture from Acts 6:1-7. He stressed the fact that the local church is the main tool for reaching people and that the Church Missions Development is simply an organized way of reaching people where they are.
15. Dr. Billy Rivers, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Hudson and member of the General Board, brought a report from the board. According to Dr. Rivers, the responsibility of the General Board is to conduct the business of the State Convention between the Annual Meetings.
16. Rev. Gilbert Blackburn led the congregation as they sang, "Blessed Be the Name."
17. Rev. Joel Sellers led in a special prayer time, praying specifically for our State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.
18. The State of the Associational address, entitled, "Understanding Our Identity and Our Purpose," was delivered by Director of Missions, Dale Fisher. He read scripture from I Corinthians 3:5-11. His three main points for our consideration were: (1) What is our identity as an association? (2) What is the purpose of our association? (3) What will keep our identity and purpose strong?

- 19. Introduction of guest soloist Kim Wickes and guest speaker Dr. David Smith were made by Rev. Stuart White.
- 20. Miss Wickes sang several selections as she prepared the messengers for the message to be delivered by Dr. Smith.
- 21. Romans, chapter 8, verses 9-11 were used by Dr. Smith as he delivered the Annual Sermon. He expounded on the goodness, the kindness, the graciousness and the self-control we must all exercise in order for others to know that the Caldwell Baptist Association is bound together in love.
- 22. Rev. Doug Jordan, Minister of Education for the Lower Creek Baptist Church, gave instructions concerning lunch.
- 23. Dr. Robert Wiggins, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Rhodhiss, gave the prayer of blessing.

PROGRAM

Third Session

“Going to Worship, Work and Witness”

1:00 PM	Call to Worship	Instrumentalists
1:05	Theme Interpretation	Dan Redding
1:15	Historical Sketch of Host Churches.....	Stephen McCorkle
1:25	Miscellaneous Business and Announcements.....	Messengers
1:30	Associational Meetings Committee	Steve Crouse
1:35	Nominating Committee Report	Paul White
1:40	Church Extension.....	Roy Holder
1:45	Memorial Service	L.J. Culler
1:50	Hymn No. 238 “To Worship, Work, and Witness”	Gilbert Blackburn, Leader
1:55	Testimony and Song	Kim Wickes
2:45	Benediction.....	Gary Hayes
	Adjournment of 106th Annual Meeting	

PROCEEDINGS

- 1. Beautiful instrumental selections called the messengers and visitors to worship for the third and final session of the Annual Meeting.
- 2. Rev. Dan Redding, member of the Associational Meetings Committee, gave the theme interpretation for the final session. The Third Session theme was, “Going to Worship, Work and Witness.” He read scripture from Matthew 5:13-16.
- 3. Stephen McCorkle, member of the History Committee, gave the historical sketch of the host churches. He stressed the importance of a church history and urged all churches to compile a written church history.

4. The floor was opened for a time of miscellaneous business. None was presented.
5. Associational Meetings Committee member, Steve Crouse gave the report from that committee. Time and place for all 1991 Quarterly Meetings are listed in that report.
6. Rev. Paul White, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, brought a recommendation from his committee. The recommendation was a list of names which the committee recommended to be added to the 1990-91 Associational Leadership. The positions were ones which had become vacant or had not been filled prior to the Spring Quarterly Meeting. A complete list of all 1990-91 Associational Leadership can be found in the Nominating Committee Report. All positions have been voted on and approved.
7. Roy Holder, Regional Consultant for the Church Extension Department of the Baptist State Convention brought news about Opportunity 2000. This is a move to start 200 new churches in North Carolina by the year 2000.
8. Rev. L.J. Culler read scripture from Hebrews 11:4 as he lead the Memorial Service for members deceased in 1989-90.
9. The congregation sang, "To Worship, Work, and Witness," led by Rev. Gilbert Blackburn.
10. Kim Wickes gave her testimony and a concert of hymns as the 106th Annual Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association drew to a close.
11. Rev. Gary Hayes, Pastor of the Meadowbrook Baptist Church, gave the benediction.
12. Moderator Walker called for the adjournment of the 106th Annual Meeting.

ATTENDANCE REPORT

219 Messengers Present

52 Visitors

271 Total Present

There were 42 pastors present. The following 49 churches were represented at the Annual Meeting.

Baton — 4 (pastor)	Meadowbrook — 5 (pastor)
Bethany — 2 (pastor)	Miller Hill — 5 (pastor)
Buffalo Cove — 3 (pastor)	Mount Carmel — 1
Calvary — 2 (pastor)	Mount Zion — 10 (pastor)
Center Grove — 7 (pastor)	Mountain Grove — 3
Central — 4	Mountain View — 4 (pastor)
Clarks Chapel — (pastor)	Mulberry — 2
Clover — 13 (pastor)	Mulvale — 1 (pastor)
College Avenue — 1 (pastor)	North Catawba — 11 (pastor)
Dry Ponds — 14 (pastor)	Oak Grove — 4 (pastor)
Dudley Shoals — 8 (pastor)	Poovey's Chapel — 4 (pastor)
Fellowship — 7 (pastor)	Poovey's Grove — 5 (pastor)
Friendship — 7 (pastor)	Rhodhiss FBC — 5 (pastor)
Grandin — 2 (pastor)	Setzer's Creek — 2 (pastor)
Granite Falls FBC — 9 (pastor)	Sunrise — 3
Harris Chapel — 6 (pastor)	Temple Hill — 7 (pastor)
Harrisburg — 3 (pastor)	Union — 7 (pastor)
Hartland — 3 (pastor)	Union Grove — 10 (pastor)
Hudson FBC — 9 (pastor)	West Lenoir — 2 (pastor)
Kings Creek — 10 (pastor)	Whitnel FBC — 8 (pastor)
Lakeview — 9 (pastor)	Yadkin — 6 (pastor)
Lenoir FBC — 8 (pastor)	Yadkin Valley — 2
Lower Creek — 10 (pastor)	Visitors Outside Assoc. — 8

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Mrs. Sherry Davidson, Chairman
Meadowbrook Baptist Church

The Communications Committee is responsible for communicating the programs, ministries, resolutions and services of the association to the churches and to the general public. In addition, the committee is responsible for developing and implementing an annual Associational Emphasis Week promotion plan.

A promotional pamphlet, prepared in 1989, was made available again to the churches for use during the May 21-27, 1990 Associational Emphasis Week. The 1991 Emphasis will be the week of May 20-26.

The committee is currently working on plans to promote the association during the 1990 Christmas Parades in Caldwell County. A float will be used showing the Southern Baptist logo of the cross, an opened Bible and the world.

Associational Staff

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

Rev. R. Dale Fisher
Mount Zion Baptist Church

A BEAUTIFUL SUNSET

The sun has set on another associational year. It is hard to realize how quickly this year has come and gone. Many marvelous achievements have been made by Caldwell Baptists during these twelve months for which we can be pleased and give thanks.

INVOLVEMENT IN MISSIONS

Involvement in mission projects is growing rapidly in the Caldwell Association. Our people have been involved for years in praying for, giving to, and learning about missions. These good practices lead to "hands on" involvement in mission projects. An unprecedented number of people are going from our churches to the mission fields on trips sponsored by our local churches, our association and our state convention.

Just this year, the Caldwell Association has sponsored mission trips to West Virginia, Caswell, Oklahoma and Brazil. At home our people have been involved in associational mission projects in such places as the Green Mountain Park Resort, the Youth Agriculture Fair and the Lenoir Living Center. God has blessed us in all of our local, state, home and foreign mission projects. Please read the Missions Development Program Report for a more detailed account of our mission activities.

BRAZILIAN VISIT

On August 16-27, 1990, a total of thirty Brazilians visited North Carolina as guests of the Caldwell Baptist Association. This visit came as a significant segment of the five year partnership between the Osasco and Caldwell Baptist Associations which is currently underway. A total of forty-four associational churches had Brazilians share during services.

The Caldwell Baptist Association was the first association in our state to try something of this magnitude according to one of our state leaders. In addition, our association was the first to send a mission team to Brazil in this five year partnership. It pleases me to be the Director of Missions of a people who are willing to lead the way in mission endeavors.

Caldwell Baptists have participated in eight mission trips to Brazil: four for evangelism, three for construction and one with the state WMU. Eight more trips are planned during the final two years of the partnership. Four of these trips will be for evangelism and four for construction of church buildings.

NEW STAFF MEMBER

During the 1989 Annual Meeting, the messengers approved a recommendation from the Personnel Committee that a new staff position be created for the association: a Church Development Director. The position is designed to help develop the programs of Brotherhood, Discipleship Training, Family Ministry, Media Library, Music Ministry, Recreation, Stewardship, Sunday School and Woman's Missionary Union.

During their 1990 Summer Quarterly Meeting, the messengers approved the Personnel Committee's recommendation that Rev. Daniel F. Lipp be called to serve as the first ever Church Development Director for the Caldwell Baptist Association. Dan began his duties with the association on October 1, 1990 after serving nearly fourteen years as the Minister of Education for the First Baptist Church of Cary, North Carolina. It is a pleasure to have him join the associational staff.

AN ASSOCIATION ON THE MOVE

In addition to greater involvement, the Brazilian visit, and the call of a new staff member, Caldwell Baptists have been on the move this year in other areas. A new Deacon Workshop was held in January that met with great success and probably will become an annual event. In February, the Ministers' Conference and Minister's Wives' Fellowship Group rearranged their schedules which has worked much better and has witnessed the addition of some new faces. In March, the association honored furloughing Missionaries Craig and Ellen Steele with a reception that was very special since we have been working so closely with them in the Brazilian Partnership. During April, a special Church Secretaries' Appreciation Luncheon was hosted by the association which has led into plans for regular fellowship gatherings of the secretaries. In May, a new Disaster Relief Committee, sponsored by the Associational Brotherhood Council, began meeting and planning for a county-wide disaster relief system. During the early part of June, a "Late VBS Clinic" was held which met with great success. The month of July provided yet another time for the annual Children's Choir Clinic which was outstanding. A first ever Men and Boys Field Day, sponsored by the Associational RA Program, was a highlight in August. These are only a few of the projects in which Caldwell Baptists have been involved during the 1989-90 Associational Year.

ASSOCIATIONAL FINANCES

On July 26, 1990, the messengers approved a \$192,714.00 Associational Budget for the period of October 1, 1990 through September 30, 1991. This budget represents great advancements in the work of this association. For the past several years the finances of the association have been strong and healthy. Giving has exceeded our spending and the churches have done very well in meeting our budget requirements.

The 1990-91 Associational Year will be one of challenge in the area of finances because of significant budget increases. Each church has been asked to consider giving four percent (4%) of undesignated receipts to associational missions.

If the churches would do this, the budget would easily be met. Please support associational missions, with your time, talents and treasures!

WATCH THE SUN RISE

The sun is rising on the 1990-91 Associational Year. The year should be bright with our enthusiasm and commitment. It should be clear with our vision and plans. Let us strive to make it our best year ever. It can be so if we labor together in effectively sharing the "SON" with those around us.

DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Jack Sprinkle, Director
Clark's Chapel Baptist Church

The work of Discipleship Training for 1989-90 has had varied success in several areas. Beginning with "M" Night, November 20, 1989, your ADTT put together a very inspiring group of conferences for all age levels. While attendance for "M" Night was down from previous years, those who were present will surely agree the blessing was worth the effort. (In the future we will award three efficiency banners rather than one.)

On January 18, 1990, Brother Stuart White conducted a workshop for Bible Drill workers. This has proven to be very helpful to those working with Bible Drill participants.

Beginning April 28, 1990, at the associational level, five churches listed participants in Bible Drills. Most participants continued through State Competition. A banquet in their honor was given June 2, 1990.

On July 24, 1990, the Associational Discipleship Training Team met to plan next year's emphasis. We encourage all churches to plan ahead for "M" Night attendance. Age group conferences are again being planned, designed for the inspiration of all. Also, we encourage each church to select an adult leader to enlist both workers and participants for Bible Drills. Bible Drill Interpretation and Demonstration Conferences are planned for October 2 at Mulvale Baptist Church and October 16 at Harrisburg Baptist Church.

Southern Baptists have the best resources for spiritual growth and for the development of church leaders through the Church Study Course Plan. It is both our desire and aim to assist churches in the use of Church Study Course.

EVANGELISM COUCIL REPORT

Dr. Clifton Black, Director
Mountain Grove Baptist Church

On March 22, 1990, an Associational Evangelism Conference was held at the Mountain Grove Baptist Church. The speakers for the conference were the Rev. Danny Gray, Pastor of the Brushy Creek Baptist Church in Easley, South Carolina, and the Rev. Allen Blum, Associate Pastor of the Hickory Grove Baptist Church in Charlotte, North Carolina. Two sessions were held: 2:00-4:00 p.m. and 7:00-9:00 p.m.

Associational Staff

EXTERNAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Henry Lathan, Chairman
Central Baptist Church

The External Relations Committee is responsible for establishing and maintaining proper relationships with groups outside the association. Its duties are to serve through individual representatives as a channel of communication between the association and the various agencies, boards, foundations, and other groups affiliated with the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention;

and to communicate and work, as needed, with non-Baptist groups.

The committee did not need to meet this year; however, the various representatives were available to the churches. Each representative has been asked to display the work of the organization represented in an exhibition area during the 1990 Associational Annual Meeting.

Associational Staff

FAMILY MINISTRY COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Michael Isaacs, Director
First Baptist Church of Hudson

The Family Ministry Council has had another productive year in serving our Caldwell Baptist Association in developing family ministry programs. The council consisted of the following: Miss Lisa Annas, Preschool Ministry Director; Mrs. Joan Crouse, Children's Ministry Director; Rev. Steve Crouse, Youth Ministry Director; Miss Sherry Austin, Single Adult Ministry Director; Rev. Don Rogers, Median and Senior Adult Ministry Director; and Rev. Brooks Walker, Student Ministry Director.

Throughout the year we continued the Youth Minister's Fellowship group, which met on the second Thursday each month at the Hudson Western Steer. This group has decided to change the meeting time and place for the new year. It will be as follows: meet on the second Thursday each month at 8:30 a.m. at Shoney's Restaurant in Lenoir for breakfast. All Youth Ministers in the Caldwell Baptist Association are invited to attend.

Our Associational Youth Night was held at the First Baptist Church in Hudson, on March 17, 1990. Our council decided to run three conferences at the same time in order to minister to the needs of youth leaders. Reg Alexander, from Kings Mountain, North Carolina, led the parenting conferences and Brooks Walker from North Catawba Baptist Church, led a panel discussion for youth leaders. Fifteen churches from our association participated with 106 youth, 24 leaders and 13 parents.

On April 7, 1990, at the First Baptist Church in Hudson, we held the Sixth Annual Single Adult Conference. This conference featured information from the Equipping Center Module, "How to Deal With Your Feelings." Child-care was offered for children birth through 10 years of age. There were worship times as well as some good food and fellowship for the single adults. This has become an event that is always looked forward to and we appreciate Sherry Austin for planning this conference.

Don Rogers, our Median and Senior Adult Director, helped to plan a Senior Adult Luncheon, on Thursday, May 3, 1990, at the Central Baptist Church. Twelve churches from our association brought Senior Adults with a total of 94. After lunch, the Senior Adult Choir from the First Baptist Church in Hickory presented a program of music. We are looking forward to more Senior Adult gatherings in the near future.

We are thankful to the Lord for His guidance and strength for the past year, and we are looking forward to another great year in His service. Pray for the Family Ministry Council as we seek ways we can assist the churches of our association in Family Ministry. Joining our council this year will be Mrs. Beth Isaacs as the Children's Ministry Director.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. Donald W. Ingle, Chairman
Dudley Shoals Baptist Church

It has been a joy to serve the members and churches of Caldwell Baptist Association. You have caught the vision and dreamed the dream for Caldwell Baptist Association.

The Finance Committee has prayed and informed the churches about the work and the challenges before us by presenting the budget recommendations, which were approved at the July 26, 1990 Quarterly Associational Meeting. Now we challenge our churches to help finance the budget for 1990-91 and reach our goals and dreams.

There is still a great challenge before us to better equip our churches so that we can tell each person about Jesus. Also, the challenge carries with it a responsibility to encourage the churches to continue their financial support of the Caldwell Baptist Association. With each church doing their part, Caldwell Baptists can accomplish the goals of our association.

Thanks again for your financial support. May we pray and continue supporting Caldwell Baptist Association, especially since we have called our Church Development Director.

Ministers Support Fund

The Finance Committee is also responsible for the Ministers Support Fund. This is a way of ministering to any pastor, staff minister, other ministers and their immediate family during these times of financial crises serving in our churches in Caldwell County. We have helped five ministers this year giving a total of \$2,000.00 in financial aid. All of this information is kept confidential within the committee.

MINISTRY BUDGET

Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.
October 1, 1990 — September 30, 1991

I. ANTICIPATED RECEIPTS:

A. Undesignated Receipts.....	\$180,214.00
B. Designated Receipts	
1. Annual Minutes (\$4.00 each).....	\$1,500.00
2. Baptist State Convention.....	3,000.00
3. Caldwell Cottage.....	3,500.00
4. Miscellaneous	<u>4,500.00</u>
Total Designated Receipts.....	<u>12,500.00</u>
Total Anticipated Receipts.....	<u><u>\$192,714.00</u></u>

II. BUDGETED MINISTRIES:**A. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES**

1. Annual Minutes	2,500.00
2. Baptist Center Media Library	1,000.00
3. Committees (miscellaneous expense)	200.00
4. Contingency (memorials, etc.)	300.00
5. Office Expense (postage, printing, and supplies)	12,000.00
6. Properties	
a. Baptist Center	
(1) Maintenance & Building Improvement	4,500.00
(2) Office Equipment	1,000.00
(3) Utilities and Insurance	6,500.00
b. Caldwell Cottage	
(1) Maintenance & Building Improvement	1,750.00
(2) Utilities, Insurance, Taxes	1,750.00
7. Treasurer	<u>2,672.00</u>
Total Administrative Services	34,172.00

B. FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

1. Church Secretaries	400.00
2. Minister's Conference	400.00
3. Minister's & Wives' Qtly. Fellowship	500.00
4. Minister's Wives	200.00
5. Music Leaders	200.00
6. Retired Ministers	200.00
7. Youth Leaders	<u>50.00</u>
Total Fellowship Groups	1,950.00

C. GOVERNING (Messengers)

1. Annual Meeting Meal	1,000.00
2. Miscellaneous Speakers	<u>1,600.00</u>
Total Governing	2,600.00

D. MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAMS

1. Associational Council	1,250.00
2. Brotherhood Council	1,500.00
3. Christian Life Council	650.00
4. Discipleship Training Council	1,880.00
5. Evangelism Council	1,150.00
6. Family Ministry Council	970.00
7. Media Library Council	100.00
8. Missions Development Council	1,150.00
9. Music Ministry Council	725.00

10. Pastoral Ministries Council.....	300.00
11. Prayer Council.....	500.00
12. Recreation Council.....	200.00
13. Seminary Extension Council.....	1,000.00
14. Stewardship Council.....	200.00
15. Sunday School Council.....	800.00
—VBS.....	250.00
16. WMU Council.....	<u>2,600.00</u>
Total Mission Performance Councils.....	15,225.00

E. PERSONNEL

1. Salaries:	
a. Director of Missions.....	25,864.00
b. Church Development Director.....	20,500.00
c. Administrative Assistant.....	19,367.00
d. Financial Secretary.....	2,788.00
e. Custodial Services.....	2,471.00
f. Summer Worker.....	.00
2. Benefits:	
a. Housing and Utilities	
(1) Director of Missions.....	11,870.00
(2) Church Development Director.....	8,500.00
b. Insurance (Life, Medical & Disability)	
(1) Director of Missions.....	5,200.00
(2) Church Development Director.....	4,680.00
(3) Administrative Assistant.....	4,160.00
c. Retirement	
(1) Director of Missions.....	5,660.00
(2) Church Development Director.....	4,350.00
(3) Administrative Assistant.....	2,905.00
3. Christmas Gifts	
a. Director of Missions.....	497.00
b. Church Development Director.....	394.00
c. Administrative Assistant.....	373.00
4. Ministry Expense	
a. Conventions/Conferences	
(1) Director of Missions.....	1,400.00
(2) Church Development Director.....	1,000.00
b. Hospitality	300.00
c. Travel	
(1) Director of Missions.....	4,800.00
(2) Church Development Director.....	1,800.00
(3) Administrative Assistant.....	300.00
5. Payroll Taxes	
a. Director of Missions.....	2,887.00
b. Church Development Director.....	2,219.00
c. Administrative Assistant.....	<u>1,482.00</u>
Total Personnel.....	135,767.00

F. SPECIAL MISSIONS

Ministers Support 3,000.00

Total Special Missions 3,000.00

TOTAL MINISTRY BUDGET \$192,714.00

FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

Miss Stella Austin, Representative
Kings Creek Baptist Church

The Foreign Mission Board (SBC) reports that you have been part of a remarkable year in 1989. Through the efforts of 3,780 missionaries and their national co-workers in 116 countries, assisted by 10,287 volunteers there are now 42,476 churches/chapels with 2,450,884 members. A record 227,564 persons were led to the Lord and baptized.

There has been growth in a number of areas including the number of churches, 10.6%; preaching points, 16.3%; baptisms, 14.9%; membership, 16.4%; and Sunday School enrollment, 23.4%.

In 1989, giving through the Cooperative Program increased slightly over 1988 and though short of the goal, the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering increased 12.7% over the previous year. Hunger and relief funds decreased somewhat, perhaps due to lack of emphasis on a specific area of need. Sixty-one per cent of all funds sent to the Foreign Mission Board was spent in direct support of foreign missionaries and 13.5% was spent in direct evangelistic efforts.

The Foreign Mission Board and missionaries continue to use the traditional approaches of "teaching, preaching, and healing," as indicated below:

- Medical missionaries and national medical personnel cared for more than 1.4 million patients.
- Hunger and relief efforts were supported in 44 nations.
- Media efforts produced 50,000 television and radio programs on 483 stations. They distributed more than 30 million periodicals, books and tracts.

New approaches include non-residential missionaries, itinerant missionaries and tent-makers under the direction of Cooperative Services International. Emphasis has been placed on volunteers and partnership evangelism. Seeking to reach the 300,000 black Southern Baptists and others who worship in more than 88 languages, the Foreign Mission Board has added consultants for ethnic and black church relations. These will seek to enlist their groups for missionary service overseas.

Following Paul's example and wish that "by all possible means I might save some" (I Corinthians 9:22), missionaries seek whatever ways are available that doors may be opened to share the gospel. For example:

- In the Ivory Coast there is a church inside a local prison with more than 200 prisoners in each service and Bible studies in each cell.
- In El Salvador, an anti-drug film gave missionaries the opportunity to speak in 16 schools, then talk to and pray with the students.
- In Venezuela where basketball is very popular, instructional clinics led by Baptist major league players have given an opportunity to witness to Venezuelan youth.
- In Nepal, while a Southern Baptist doctor provides medical services, his wife teaches nutrition and preventative care and helps women start small businesses in their homes.

- In Mongolia, four Southern Baptist teachers working with Cooperative Services International have helped the Mongolian government with an English language curriculum in its schools.
- In the Soviet Union, a film about the rise of Christianity in the Soviet Union has been released and written permission has been given for a seminary in Moscow. The Foreign Mission Board has released funds to help launch the project. For the first time ever, a group of volunteer students were sent to help restore a church in Leningrad in June, 1990.
- In Romania, Southern Baptists helped Hungarian Baptists distribute more than two tons of much needed food and medical supplies.

The Foreign Mission Board says, too, that without you—your fervent prayers, diligent service and sacrificial giving—the task of winning the world for Christ is impossible, so keep praying, giving and going.

HISTORICAL EVENTS

- BUFFALO COVE:** Year-long 140th birthday celebration (May 8, 1851). Dedication Service for all new work. Ordained Ralph Smith and David Townsend as deacons.
- CLARKS CHAPEL:** Adoption of Constitution and Bylaws. Purchased new choir robes. Puppet Ministry for children and youth began.
- CLOVER:** Land swap of approximately 3½ acres of land with Town of Granite Falls. First "Churchwide" Mission Trip in August, 1990.
- COLLEGE AVENUE:** 20th Anniversary of Ken and Gale Little, Minister of Music and Organist. 80th Anniversary Celebration of College Avenue Baptist Church. Mission team to Jamaica.
- CREST VIEW:** Began two morning worship services.
- DUDLEY SHOALS:** Called Dusty Bradshaw as Associate Pastor. Held one week Bible School at First Hispanic Baptist Church, Spartanburg, S.C. and assisted in repairs to fellowship hall.
- FELLOWSHIP:** In March, 1990, adjoining property was purchased to be used for additional educational and fellowship space.
- FLEMINGS CHAPEL:** June 24, 1990, Note Burning Service - paid off church debt.
- FRIENDSHIP:** New Educational Building dedicated in February, 1990.
- HARRISBURG:** Ordained Ronald Burgett on February 11, 1990.
- HUDSON FBC:** Renovation of the Sanctuary.
- KINGS CREEK:** Portrait of Stella Austin, retired missionary to Africa, presented to church by WMU. First time Summer Youth Worker. Church Pictorial Directory made.
- LIVINGSTON MEMORIAL:** Ordained Rev. Joe Angle.
- LOWER CREEK:** Ordained Gilbert Blackburn.
- MOUNT ZION:** Group of youth and adults participated in Associational Mission Trip to Oklahoma. Church voted to become a sponsoring church of South Caldwell Christian Ministry.
- MOUNTAIN GROVE:** Enlarged Sanctuary and Educational facilities.
- MULVALE:** Fellowship Hall.
- RHODHISS FBC:** Began ministry for deaf.
- SETZER'S CREEK:** Remodeling and new addition completed.

UNION: In 1989, seven volunteers from Union spent two weeks in Sao Paulo, Brazil. Six worked in the construction of a new church and one in evangelism. In 1990, one volunteer returned to Brazil. Also, one volunteer helped brick a church in West Virginia and one began a Prison Ministry.

UNION GROVE: Mr. and Mrs. Walter (Jacquelyn) Ford were commissioned by the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board as full time missionaries.

WEST LENOIR: Provided lodging for thirty Brazilians visiting Caldwell Association from Sao Paulo, Brazil.

YADKIN: Began second phase of Challenge to Build called, "Continue the Challenge" to retire church debt of renovation of church facilities.

ZACKS FORK: Burning of note on parsonage. Dedicated old church bell in honor of Mr. Charlie Vannoy. Ordained Bob Mullett as deacon.

HISTORICAL TABLE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION 1885-1988

ANNUAL MEETINGS

<i>Year and Place</i>	<i>Moderator</i>	<i>Clerk</i>	<i>Preacher</i>
1885 Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W.A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886 Union	Isaac Oxford	W.A. Pool	John Crisp
1887 Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W.F. Marshall	W.A. Pool
1888 Sardis	H.D. Lequex	W.F. Marshall	H.D. Lequex
1889 Glove	Isaac Oxford	W.F. Marshall	W.A. Pool
1890 Lenoir, First	Isaac Oxford	A.E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891 Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J.V. McCall	J.W. Gwaitney
1892 Yadkin	II W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	H.M. Croom
1893 Granite Falls	I.W. Thomas	A.E. Nelson	J.W. Gwaitney
1894 Kings Creek	J.V. McCall	A.E. Nelson	J.M. Shaver
1895 Lower Creek	J.V. McCall	A.E. Nelson	H.M. Croom
1896 Conways Chapel	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas
1897 Piney Grove	E.D. Crisp	J.V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898 Rocky Springs	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	G.D. Heffner
1899 Blairs Fork	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	E.D. Crisp
1900 Union	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas
1901 Sardis	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	W.R. Beach
1902 Bethany	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	E.D. Crisp
1903 Lenoir, First	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.A. White
1904 Dudley Shoals	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.J.L. Sherwood
1905 Mountain Grove	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	
1906 Flemings Chapel	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	
1907 Mulberry	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.J.L. Sherwood
1908 Lower Creek	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	I.C. Miller
1909 Green Valley	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	I.W. Thomas
1910 Granite Falls	J.V. McCall	J.R. Swanson	J.G. Benfield
1911 Kings Creek	J.V. McCall	J.R. Swanson	
1912 Rocky Springs	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	W.N. Cook
1913 Lenoir, First	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.D. Moore
1914 Union	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	G.C. Ivey
1915 Sardis	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	G.W. Rollins
1916 Blairs Fork	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.G. Benfield
1917 Bethel	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	G.A. Rhyme
1918 Dudley Shoals	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.E. Hoyle
1919 Rhodhiss	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.M. Shaver
1920 Piney Grove	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	I.W. Thomas
1921 Center Grove	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.E. Hoyle
1922 Kings Creek	J.G. Benfield	J.R. Swanson	W.C. Tyree
1923 Rocky Springs	J.G. Benfield	J.R. Swanson	J.L. Teague
1924 Concord	J.G. Benfield	J.R. Swanson	W.C. Tyree
1925 Yadkin	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	J.W. Watts
1926 Lower Creek	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	J.L. Teague
1927 Harris Chapel	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	S.A. Stroup
1928 South Lenoir	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	G.W. Bennett
1929 Mount Zion	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	W.R. Bradshaw
1930 Kings Creek	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	R.D. Carroll
1931 Sardis	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	R.E. Hardaway
1932 Granite Falls	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	W.R. Barnes
1933 Grandview Park	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	J.H. Shaver
1934 Lenoir, First	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	T.E. Payne
1935 Whitnel	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	H.S. Benfield
1936 Grandin	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	G.C. Teague
1937 Rhodhiss	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	Waldo E. Early
1938 Rocky Springs	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939 Lower Creek	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon

1940 Granite Falls	G.C. Teague	H.S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941 Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H.S. Benfield	O.R. Mangum
1942 Blairs Fork	Zeb Caudle	H.S. Benfield	R.F. Mayberry
1943 Mount Zion	Zeb Caudle	H.S. Benfield	S.M. Stroupe
1944 Kings Creek	Zeb Caudle	R.C. Powell	Philip D. Fletcher
1945 Piney Grove	Zeb Caudle	R.C. Powell	J.H. Crisp
1946 Dudley Shoals	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	
1947 Lenoir, First	C.M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	M.W. Stallings
1947 Center Grove	C.M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	
1948 Central	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	W.W. Jones
1948 Hartland	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	
1949 Harris Chapel	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	Fred C. Roberts
1949 Lower Creek	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	
1950 Concord	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	Will Bolick
1950 Longford	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	
1951 Calvary	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Hester
1951 Winklers Grove	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1952 Union	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	M.O. Owens, Jr.
1952 Union Grove	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Knolan Benfield
1953 Sardis	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	D.R. Hinton
1953 Mountain Grove	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1954 College Avenue	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	K.E. Seepe
1954 Granite Falls, First	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1955 Lenoir, First	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	T.L. Cashwell
1955 Mount Zion	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1956 Lower Creek	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Hopkins
1956 Central	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1957 Yadkin	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Bruce
1957 Harris Chapel	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1958 Hudson, First	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	George Westmoreland
1958 Crestview	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1959 Rhodhiss, First	M.O. Owens, Jr.	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Hal. R. Hovis
1959 Kings Creek	M.O. Owens, Jr.	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1960 College Avenue	Paul J. Hopkins	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Murray F. Jackson
1960 Flemings Chapel	Paul J. Hopkins	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	
1961 Concord	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	Paul Lovingood
1961 Poovey's Grove	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	
1962 Winklers Grove	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	Billy Rivers
1962 Grandview Park	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	
1963 Lenoir, First	George Williamson	J.G. Hagaman	James Pharr
1963 Mount Zion	George Williamson	J.G. Hagaman	
1964 Hudson, First	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Jyles Hall
1964 North Catawba	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Mrs. George Cowser
1965 Whitnel, First	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Mark Owens
1965 Union Grove	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	F. Turnmire/S. Austin
1966 Lower Creek	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	B.C. Tschudy
1966 Yadkin	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Wayne Pennell
1967 Calvary	Billy Rivers	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	Millared Crumpler
1967 Dudley Shoals	Billy Rivers	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	
1968 College Avenue	L. Deck Taylor	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	Rev. C.H. Kincaid
1968 Mountain Grove	L. Deck Taylor	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	Rev. Lanny Elmore
1969 Mount Zion	L. Deck Taylor	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	Rev. Fred D. Barnes
1969 Lenoir	L. Deck Taylor	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	
1969 Union	L. Deck Taylor	Mrs. Faye C. Teague	Miss Faye Turnmire
1970 Granite Falls, Fi	L. Deck Taylor	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Clifton Tuttle
1970 Hudson, First	L. Deck Taylor	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Carl Bates
1970 Kings Creek	L. Deck Taylor	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Mrs. Hilda Cowser
1971 Central	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Frank Colbum
1971 Lower Creek	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	R. Knolan Benfield

1971 Whitnel, First	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Wayne Pennell
1972 Hudson, First	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Edgar Cole
1972 Mountain Grove . .	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Jack Stanton
1972 Clover	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Lanny Elmore
1973 Dudley Shoals	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Rev. W. Luther Hawkins
1973 Harris Chapel	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Eugene Poston
1973 Oak Grove	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Rev. Tom Small
			Rev. Coy C. Privette
			Rev. James Lambert
1974 North Catawba . . .	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Edwin D. Price
			Rev. John O. Adams
1974 Mount Zion	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Budd Smith
			Rev. Guy Longshore
1974 Hartland	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Rev. Burt Potter
			Rev. Jerry Potter
1975 Yadkin	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Rev. Howard Barnes
			Rev. Charles Lethcoe
1975 Hudson, First	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Eugene Poston
			Rev. Ian Walker
1975 Concord	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Roy Carroll
			Rev. George W. Cowsert
1976 Lenoir, First	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Rev. Ned Webb
			Rev. Don Ingle
1976 Poovey's Chapel . .	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Thomas Corts
			Dr. Richard Henderson
1976 Central	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Rev. Ernest L. Holloway
			Rev. Wayne Pennell
1977 Rhodhiss, First . . .	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Rev. Don Ingle
			Rev. B.R. Whisnant
1977 Baton	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Craven Williams
			Dr. Carl E. Bates
1977 Harris Chapel	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Rick Taylor
			Rev. John McGee
1978 College Avenue . . .	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Rev. James Locke
			Rev. Knolan Benfield
1978 Union Grove	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Norman Wiggins
			Dr. Forrest Feezor
1978 Mount Zion	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Mark Corts
			Rev. Max Furr
1979 Lower Creek	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Thad Dowdle
			Rev. Walter Ponder
1979 Temple Hill	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. T. Robert Mullinax
			Dr. Jonn Tresch
1979 Miller Hill	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Dwane Campbell
			Dr./Mrs. Lin Fincannon
1980 Mountain Grove . .	Donald W. Ingle	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Rev. H.H. McManus
			Dr. Robert Evans
1980 Center Grove	Donald W. Ingle	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Dr. Dwane Campbell
			Dr. A.C. Miller
1980 Crest View	Donald W. Ingle	Elizabeth J. Campbell . . .	Rev. Cecil Seagel
			Mrs. Craige Steele
1981 Granite Falls, First	Donald W. Ingle	Sue Smith	Rev. Roy Collins, Jr.
			Rev. Donald Ingle
1981 West Lenoir	Donald W. Ingle	Sue Smith	Dr. Delores Miles
			Rev. Fenton Moorhead
1981 Poovey's Grove . . .	Donald W. Ingle	Sue Smith	Dr. Thad Dowdle
			Mrs. Jean Poe
1982 Kings Creek	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	Tommy Stevens
			Roger Nix
1982 Lovelady	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	J.W. Hutchens

1982 Flemings Chapel . .	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	Stewart White Thomas Courts
1983 College Avenue . .	Rev. Wayne Riddle	Mrs. Sue Smith	Rev. Donnie Solesbee
1983 Clarks Chapel . . .	Rev. Wayne Riddle	Mrs. Sue Smith	Rev. Dennis Herman
1983 Whitnel, First . . .	Rev. Wayne Riddle	Mrs. Sue Smith	Dr. Mark Corts
1984 Concord	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Dr. Robert Evans, Jr.
1984 Calvary	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	History of Caldwell Cty.
1984 Mt. Zion	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Dr. Roy Smith
1985 Lenoir First	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Rev. Dean Harrold
1985 Baton	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Rev. Ken Carter
1985 Rhodhiss First . . .	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Rev. Marion Powell
1986 Concord	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	Rev. C.H. Kincaid
1986 Piney Grove	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	Rev. Ellis Fulbright
1986 Dudley Shoals . . .	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	Dr. Ray Roberts
1987 Meadowbrook . . .	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	Rev. Stuart White
1987 Poovey's Chapel . .	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	Togo Volunteers
1987 Friendship	Donald W. Ingle	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	Rev. Richard Everett
1988 Central	Billy G. Rivers	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	Rev. David Philbeck
1988 Fellowship	Billy G. Rivers	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	Dr. Michael Blackwell
1988 Temple Hill	Billy G. Rivers	Mrs. Margaret Benfield . .	W.M.U. Cent. Report
			Brazil Mission Vol. Report
			Dr. Thad Dowdle

HISTORICAL TABLE

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1989-1990

QUARTERLY MEETINGS

<i>Year and Place</i>	<i>Moderator</i>	<i>Clerk</i>	<i>Preacher</i>
1989 Hudson FBC . . .	Billy G. Rivers	Ann Hatton	Bill Cox
Mt. Zion	Billy G. Rivers	Ann Hatton	Don Foster
Dudley Shoals . .	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Craige Steele
Harrisburg	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Craige Steele
Oak Grove	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	James Hamby
1990 Miller Hill	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Buddy Freeman
Granite Falls FBC	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Mack Roberts
Yadkin	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Ed & Marji Elzey
Clover	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Dennis Blackmon
Lower Creek . . .	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	David Smith

HISTORY COMMITTEE REPORT

Mrs. Elizabeth Moore, Chairman
First Baptist Church of Granite Falls

Clover Baptist Church
Rev. Bill McNeill, Pastor

A small group of people who had held cottage prayer meetings throughout the community and who held Sunday School and Worship Services in the Faith Tabernacle, met on July 5, 1942, to organize a church from which would come the present body known as Clover Baptist Church. Nine ordained men composed the presbytery, which met in the first organizational meeting. The church which was organized that day was to be known as Clover Missionary Baptist Church. Charter members composed ten members by letter and nine by baptism. Rev. Grady H. Hamby was selected by the congregation to serve as Minister with Fred Cline to be the first church secretary and treasurer. Charter members were: (by letter) Mrs. Will Bentley, Mrs. Irene Icenhour, T.H. Icenhour; (by Baptism) Margie Propst (Triplett), Wayburn Bentley (Propst), Mary E. Smith (Reid), Jessie Fae Smith (Goodman), Hilda Kirby (Benfield), Juanita Tolbert, Mrs. Cara Bumgarner, Mrs. Texie Gilliland and Mrs. Aner Reed. The first deacons of the church, C.M. Hamby and Fred Cline, were ordained on July 26, 1942. To date, a total of 42 deacons has served the church with 3 years deacon rotation plan beginning in 1958 and a Deacon Ministry Plan initiated April 8, 1979.

Pastors who have served: Rev. Grady H. Hamby, Rev. T.A. Sheppard, Rev. Robert Marchbanks, Rev. Ben Lee Ray, Rev. Z.W. Rotan, Rev. Edgar L. Cole, Rev. D.C. Butts, Rev. W.H. "Bill" McNeill. Licensed into the ministry have been H.H. McManus, Michael Kirby, Thad Hamilton, William David Cole, Kimo Mullinax. Ordained into the ministry: William Rotan, May 1967. The first baptismal service was held on October 11, 1942. In 1946, the church became a member of the Caldwell Baptist Association.

October 4, 1942, the church voted to purchase land for a building on what is known now as North Main Street-Parallel. A cinderblock building was erected and a year later the church trustees were appointed to be in charge of adding ten rooms to be used by the Sunday School. Later, this building was veneered with brick.

The church voted to purchase the land on which the present building facilities now stand on December 7, 1952. Groundbreaking for the educational building was held on April 18, 1954. The building was completed in May, 1955. The business meeting of February, 1958, brought a recommendation from the deacons that they begin to seek a lot for the purpose of building a parsonage. A lot of approximately one acre of land was purchased from Mr. D.R. Moore. In July, 1968, under the leadership of Reverend Cole, the church paid off all indebtedness on the parsonage and the educational building.

The building fund program for the new sanctuary was begun through the Z.W. Rotan Memorial Fund which was put into a savings account to be used for pulpit furnishings. March 8, 1970, the new sanctuary finance committee recommended that after plans for the construction of the building were approved, that we enter into a bond selling program of approximately \$100,000.00. Dedication and open house was held on Sunday, February 24, 1985, a building including furnishings was \$155,000.00. Sunday, February 24, 1985, a "Celebration of Bond Retirement on Sanctuary" was held through a note burning with special speaker Dr. Roy Smith, General Secretary-Treasurer, BSC. The last note payment was made November, 1984.

In early 1981, overall improvements were made to the parsonage, Over the last several years, a Fellowship Shelter has been built, parking lot paved and additional land purchased.

The church has been active in all of the WMU, Brotherhood and Youth Activities since the early 1950s. The first Acteens (GAs) coronation was held February 11, 1973, with the following girls being recognized: Cathy Miller, Debbie Burgin, Amy Calloway, Cheryl Bumgarner, Marsha Miller and Debbie Kirby. Our missions learning turned into mission travels as the Lord led Clover's Acteens on their first mission trip which was to Florida in 1986. The Activators made history for Clover and Caldwell Association for being the first Acteen Activators team from North Carolina. They also spread the Word in Virginia (1987), and Kentucky (1988). The Acteens also attended the National Acteens Convention, San Antonio, Texas, 1989. In July of this year (1990) our first church-wide mission trip was to Alum Creek, West Virginia. Backyard Bible Clubs, distributing literature door to door, conducting three nights of Revival and partial construction of the First Baptist Church of Alum Creek were our activities.

The church participates each summer in the Vacation Bible School Program and in Backyard Bible Clubs. Missions is supported through the Cooperative Program, the Association, the SCCM, the American Bible Society, the Christian Action League, along with Foreign, Home and State Missions Offerings. In 1985, a Van Ministry was initiated, and later a bus was purchased.

Presently, our Building Steering Committee is in the early stages of a Building Program for additional educational facilities and improvements to our Sanctuary. Our Jubilee Year will be July 5, 1992. We praise God for all He has blessed Clover with and for all the opportunities He has given us to serve Him.

LOWER CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Joel Sellers, Pastor

Lower Creek Baptist Church was organized on March 4, 1826. The eleven charter members were: Isaac Sherrill, James Day, James Critchlow, Jeremiah Clarke, Mary Sherrill, Lucy Day, Archy Kirby, Nancy Goldsby, Martha Bailey, Sarah N. Wainscott and Mary Ann Critchlow.

These members met in a small one-room log house of worship and conducted a business meeting and worshipped together for the first time. The log house was given by George Powell, Sr. The church was recorded as being a Burke County church, as Caldwell County would not be formed out of Burke County until 1841. In that first year, the church increased from the eleven charter members to twenty-eight by year's end. Dorcus Curby was the first member received by letter. Isaac Sherrill was the first lay elder and clerk. Phillip Powell was the first person received by "experience." In that first year, every male member was asked to put into the hand of Jeremiah Clarke, the first deacon, twenty-five cents to defray the charges of the church. This would have totaled \$1.50.

The rules of the early church were quite strict with certain "sins" spelled out as warranting dismissal. If a complaint was brought against a member he had to appear before the congregation. If cleared, he would remain a member in good standing. If not, he was excluded. There is evidence that a number of these people were often taken back into the fold later on.

It is interesting to note that the church took in black slaves from the very beginning,

the first being "Harry of color," property of Nancy Goldsby.

In 1847, a frame building was erected to replace the original log house as the house of worship. By the end of the Civil War in 1865, the church had a total of 72 members and by 1873, membership had grown to 197.

In 1904, a main auditorium was erected of brick with an addition of 30 rooms added in 1924. This building boasted electric lights, a hot air furnace, and a choir loft behind the pulpit. A fire completely destroyed the building in April, 1942. A new building was completed in 1943, and with an educational wing built and dedicated on July 4, 1962, this is the facility one sees today. A number of churches in the Lenoir area trace their roots back to the founding sponsorship of Lower Creek Baptist Church.

The first Pastor of Lower Creek Baptist Church was Benjamin Beach who served for eleven years. He was followed by Phillip Powell, William Goforth, John Powell, Moses Smith, James Reid, G. Swain, H. Holtsclaw, J.B. Pool, W.A. Pool, I.W. Thomas, J.M. Shaver, J.G. Benfield, G.C. Teague, E.G. Caldwell, W.R. Barnes, W.W. Lynes, Zeb Caudle, W.W. Jones, Billy Rivers, William Snyder, and Horace Story. The current pastor is Joe Sellers.

Lower Creek Baptist Church continues to be active in ministry, worship, music, Christian education, evangelism, missions, and benevolence, in cooperation with the Southern Baptist Convention, the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Caldwell Baptist Association. Lower Creek Baptist Church has continued to provide a strong, well-balanced and scriptural ministry in the Lenoir community. We have, and continue to keep pace with the changing times to meet the spiritual needs of our surrounding area with the unchanging Good News of God's Love in Jesus Christ.

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

Miss Ella Keller, Representative
First Baptist Church of Granite Falls

Your prayers, gifts, and support have helped make possible a significant year in Home Missions. With work in all 50 states, Puerto Rico, American Samoa, the American Virgin Islands, and Canada, recent highlights indicate 3,808 home missionaries reporting 81,869 professions of faith, 7,832 decisions for special service, 1,467 new churches and 795 missions started, and all-time high of 56,972 volunteers. Currently there are 2,165 endorsed chaplains who reported 18,622 professions of faith.

As we enter the last decade of this century, the HMB is committed to reaching the goals of the Bold Mission Thrust to have 50,000 congregations winning and baptizing at least 500,000 people per year and to have at least 5,000 home missionaries by the year 2000 AD.

The HMB depends on our prayers and financial support to fulfill the task entrusted to it. Let us continue our support in praying, learning, going, and giving so that every person in our land and world may have an opportunity to hear and accept Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord.

MEDIA/LIBRARY COUNCIL REPORT

Mrs. Bobbi Watson, Director
Miller Hill Baptist Church

Our media libraries are striving to touch the lives of the people in our churches. We believe this will help to strengthen the ministry of our congregations. We consider our ministry to be a vital part of our churches. Our ministry is to provide selected resources and services that support the church in its mission. We inform our congregation that such services and resources are at hand. We hope each year to increase our knowledge and therefore pass on to others the importance of the library in our churches. We truly want to be a partner in the church's ministry.

We have ongoing training opportunities to better equip ourselves to serve. We had quarterly meetings at Miller Hill, Whitnel FBC, Granite Falls FBC and the Baptist Center. We averaged 15 people present at our meetings. Twelve churches are now active in our associational organization called TACMO. We had a record breaking number of 17 to attend the state meeting at Caraway Conference Center in April. They represented eight different churches. We have two churches, Mulvale and Friendship, that are in the process of beginning church libraries. Our associational media/library collection is continuing to expand. We added 51 equipping centers and 65 videos. There are many others on missions that are donated by the Foreign Mission and Home Mission Boards. I have had over 65 calls and contacts made to me since January 1, 1990 concerning church libraries. That is very encouraging!

We, as a group, do personally believe that our library ministry is a vital necessary part in our participating churches. We have many trained, willing people who would be glad to help in setting up a church library for you, when the need arises. Our goal in the coming year is to reach out in all the ways that God will lead.

MEMBERS DECEASED

BATON — Miss Clyde Smith

BETHANY — Mr. Conley Cook

CALVARY — Mrs. Buster Clark, Mr. Sherman Crump, Mrs. Virgil Robbins, Mr. Clarence Walker, Mrs. Authrine Clark Swanger

CEDAR ROCK — Mr. Gene Kincaid

CENTER GROVE — Mr. Murray Clontz, Mr. Charles Edward Chester

CENTRAL — Mrs. Flora Smith, Mrs. Helena Johnson, Mr. Authur Kincaid, Mrs. Clara Byrd, Mr. C.C. Smith, Mrs. Ada Bradford, Mr. Lloyd Craig, Mrs. Thelma Noblett, Mr. William Dancy, Mrs. Jean Perry

CLARK'S CHAPEL — Mrs. Eva Weathers, Mr. Paul Craig, Rev. E.L. Brown, Mrs. Cornelia Hardwick

CLEARVIEW — Rev. William Quinn, Deacon Earl Duncan, Mr. Huston Crowe, Mr. Charles A. Triplett

CLOVER — Mr. Lloyd Peterson, Mrs. Mabel Yarborough, Mrs. Texie Gilliland, Mrs. Ruby Hamby, Mrs. Minnie Estes

COLLEGE AVENUE — Mrs. Hattie Crisp, Mr. Ralph Hamby, Mrs. N.E. (Lois) Johnson, Mrs. Della Brown, Mr. Richard Halsey, Mrs. Margaret Anderson, Mr. E.E. Davis, Mr. L.G. Tomlinson, Mrs. Mary Woodruff, Mrs. Mazie Wiles

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- CONCORD — Mrs. Irene Warlick, Mr. Steve Turnmire, Mrs. Minnie Bumgarner, Mrs. Lettie Burris, Mr. Harley Dula, Mrs. Fairy Hollar
- CREST VIEW — Mrs. Pearl Tuttle
- DRY PONDS — Mrs. Ranson Smith, Rev. Paul Hopkins
- DUDLEY SHOALS — Mr. J.W. Smith, Mr. Jesse Boston, Mr. Sherman Starnes, Mrs. Marie Auton, Mr. Kenneth Odell Winkler, Mr. Charles Lail, Mrs. Lillie Stafford, Mrs. Earlene Hanson
- FLEMINGS CHAPEL—Mrs. Mae Staton, Mr. Albert Hollar
- FRIENDSHIP—Mr. Fred Nichols
- GRANITE FALLS FBC—Lamar Blackstock, Ellen Crisp, Frank Moore, Sharon Thacker, Elizabeth Farmer, Brooks Moss, Katherine Wakefield, Eula Steele, Pauline Wakefield
- GREEN VALLEY—Mrs. Lucille Chambers
- HARRIS CHAPEL—Mr. Glenn Piercy, Mr. Darrell Hartley, Mrs. Lena Cloer, Mr. Troy Townsend, Sr., Mrs. Hattie Rector, Mrs. Ida Bright, Mrs. Viola Austin
- HARRISBURG—Mrs. Mary Dean Norris
- HARTLAND—Mary Swink
- HIBRITEN—Mrs. Mary Seagle, Mrs. Betty Goble, Mrs. Peggy C. Mabe, Mrs. Mary Hazel Smith
- HUDSON FBC — Mrs. Doris Bush, Mr. John Freeman, Mr. James Irving German, Mr. Harold Osborne, Mr. Richard Gene Wood
- KINGS CREEK — Mr. Avery Beaver, Mrs. Joyce B. Zemp, Mrs. Elma Kirby, Mr. Lewis McCall, Mr. Frenis D. Coffey
- LAKEVIEW — Mrs. Tressie Farthing
- LENOIR FBC — Mrs. Ira Jones, Mrs. Jesse McDonald, Mr. Frank L. Smith, Sr., Mrs. Harold Beach, Mr. Howard Correll, Deacon Cecil Benfield, Mrs. R.L. Rowan, Mr. Bernie Pyatte, Mr. Robert E. Lee, Sr., Deacon George W. Boutwell, Sr., Mrs. Leila McMichael, Deacon Gibbs Roberts, Mrs. Frank Downs, Miss Asilee Powell, Mrs. Ed Price
- LIVINGSTON MEMORIAL — Mr. Robert E. Colvard (Charter Member), Mr. Jack Simmons
- LOWER CREEK — Mrs. Louise Estes, Mr. Clarence Austin, Mr. Al Dodge, Mr. Ralph Bush, Mr. A.M. Staford, Miss Ruby Steele, Mrs. Ora Pennell, Mr. Fred Kincaid, Mrs. Lizzie Kirby, Mrs. Rosa Brown, Mr. Faires Laxton, Mrs. Kathaleen Chelgren, Mrs. Julia Barlow
- MEADOWBROOK — Mrs. Colleen Haas
- MILLER HILL — Mr. Eulas Shehan, Miss Shannon Michael, Mr. Wade Parsons
- MOUNT ZION — Mr. Ray Clark, Mr. Johnny Miller, Mrs. Doris Miller, Mrs. Connie Brasil
- MOUNTAIN GROVE — Mrs. Joyce Stephens, Miss Sara House, Mr. J.C. Cannon, Mr. Ray Lingle, Mr. Parks Bolick
- MULVALE — Mr. Paul Dalrymple
- NELSON'S CHAPEL — Mr. Jones Suddreth
- NORTH CATAWBA — Mr. Hazel Smith, Mr. Garland Brooks, Mrs. Marie Dula
- OAK GROVE — Mr. Perry Starnes, Mr. Lester Triplett
- POOVEY'S CHAPEL — Mr. Clyde Witherspoon, Mrs. Emma Bivens
- RHODHISS FBC — Mr. Junior Johnson, Mr. Homer Herring, Mr. Everett Church, Mr. Dewey Annas, Mrs. Maggie Triplett, Mrs. Fannie Berry, Mrs. Cleo Massagee
- ROCKY SPRINGS — Mrs. Luna Beane

RUFUS — Mrs. Annie G. Mast
SETZER'S CREEK — Mr. A.B. (Buck) Clark
SUNRISE — Ester Jones
TEMPLE HILL — Mr. Steve Kiziah, Mr. George Reece, Lucille Chambers, Mr. Donald Gilbert
UNION — Mrs. Eva Livingston, Deacon Bill Triplett, Mr. James E. Auton, Mrs. Gussie Teeters, Mrs. Lola Kirby, Mr. Everett McRary
UNION GROVE — Deacon Horace Bolick, Mrs. Vernetta McGinnis, Mrs. Willa Dean Smith, Mr. Fred Coffey, Sr.
WEST LENOIR — Mrs. Libby Main, Mr. Earl Brookshire, Mr. Dennis Hensley
WHITNEL FBC — Mr. Harold Hartley, Mrs. Flossie Mayberry, Mr. W.E. Suddreth, Mr. Danny Brown
YADKIN — Mr. Fred C. Greene, Mrs. Polly Whitely, Mrs. Ellen Wellborn, Mr. Joe Todd
YADKIN VALLEY — Mr. Bill Rich
ZACK'S FORK — Mrs. Clemmie Barr Blevins, Mrs. Dare Holman, Mrs. Frances Scott

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT

Dr. Robert B. Evans, Chairman
First Baptist Church of Granite Falls

The Caldwell Baptist Association is growing, and the Membership Committee has been observing this growth process. We are happy to report that the Dry Ponds Baptist Church has successfully completed a year under the watchcare of the association and is now eligible for membership into the Caldwell Baptist Association. The Membership Committee heartily recommends that this church become a member of our fellowship.

Indian Hills Baptist Church has requested to become a member of the Caldwell Baptist Association. The Membership Committee is now in the process of studying this request.

We regret that Lovelady Baptist Church has requested to be deleted from membership in the association. Contact has been made with them, but to no avail, therefore, in compliance with their wishes, we recommend that their request be granted.

MINISTER'S CONFERENCE FELLOWSHIP GROUP REPORT

Rev. Stuart White, President
First Baptist Church of Whitnel

With a goal of providing opportunity for all ministers to participate in our minister's meetings, the officers of the Minister's Conference recommended and the association adopted a new format for the 1989-90 Associational Year. We met on the first Wednesday of each month at the Associational Office for a time of challenge through planned programs. This was followed by our time of fellowship at the Western Sizzlin. On the third Monday evening of each month, we met in different churches for a time of worship and fellowship. The Ministers' Wives met at the same time. Each quarter, a meal was planned with ministers and their spouses joining in a time of fellowship.

The churches which hosted our Monday evening meetings in the order of our meetings were: Concord Baptist Church; Crest View Baptist Church, Lakeview Baptist Church; College Avenue Baptist Church; Setzer's Creek Baptist Church; Center Grove Baptist Church; First Baptist Church of Lenoir; and Cedar Rock Baptist Church. Thank you for hosting our meetings.

Please pray for the Minister's Conference Officers during the coming year. Pray, too, that our fellowship will grow stronger as we share with one another.

MINISTERS WIVES' FELLOWSHIP GROUP REPORT

Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Coordinator
Mount Zion Baptist Church

The Minister's Wives' Fellowship Group includes all the wives of active, deceased, or retired ministers in the association. The purpose of the group is to provide opportunities for the wives to meet together for informal times of fellowship.

In February, 1990, the Minister's Wives began meeting in conjunction with the Ministers' Conference. This new schedule provides for a Minister's and Wives' Quarterly Fellowship to be held on the third Monday of February, May, August and November. The wives and ministers meet separately the other eight months but at the same time in the same location. Child care is provided for these meetings.

MISSIONS DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL REPORT

Mrs. Joann Propst, Director
First Baptist Church of Rhodhiss

Excitement! Excitement! As the 1989-90 year began, the Missions Development Council could hardly contain their excitement as they anticipated what the new year would bring. This council met five times during the year to plan their second year's work. The Lord provides us with so many special opportunities this year. We are thankful for each Caldwell Baptist who took advantage of these opportunities to serve our Lord.

"Ye Shall Be Witnesses" "In Jerusalem"

Local Missions Report

The youth of Caldwell Baptist Association were given an opportunity to be involved in Local Missions as they witnessed at the Youth Fair April 17-21, 1990, at the 321 Fair Grounds. A booth was decorated by Caldwell Baptist Youth using the theme "Here's Hope," giving our youth the opportunity to witness and testify to the fact that there is hope in the world by turning to Jesus Christ. A special thanks to Bert Blackburn, Minister of Music/Youth, Lower Creek Church, for a great slide presentation using slides of Caldwell Baptist Youth in worship, missions, VBS, puppetry, clowning, fun, fellowship, etc. Jackie Sellers, Lower Creek Church, Randy McCall, Mountain Grove Church, Rick Bene, Crest View Church, Fair Booth Committee, Thank you!

The following youth groups and leaders manned the booth and witnessed:

UNION GROVE — Neal Efird and 9 youth
 KINGS CREEK — Shiela Wike and 3 youth
 LOWER CREEK — Jackie Sellers, Bert Blackburn, Pam Estes and 18 youth
 HARRISBURG — Pat Green and 4 youth
 CREST VIEW — Carol Walker and 5 youth
 MEADOWBROOK — Renee Shatley and 3 youth
 CENTRAL — Marlene Alexander
 RHODHISS FBC — Joann Propst

The Green Mountain Park Resort Ministry of Caldwell Baptist Association, for the purpose of leading in Sunday morning worship services and other religious activities that might develop, began this year on April 15, 1990. Three couples, Rev. and Mrs. J.B. Crouse, Rev. and Mrs. Howard Barnes and Rev. and Mrs. Stanley Townsend coordinated the work. The average attendance for the year, ending September 30, 1990 was 60 with a high attendance of 115. The following preachers and musicians volunteered their time and efforts:

PREACHERS

J.B. Crouse — Mountain View
 Clifton Tuttle — Meadowbrook
 Ted Williams — Harrisburg
 Howard Barnes — Friendship
 Bill McNeill — Clover
 Robert Evans — FBC Granite Falls
 Dan Redding — Center Grove
 Stanley Townsend — Indian Hills
 David Giffin — Hartland
 Herbert McCoy — Setzer's Creek
 J.W. Myers — Oak Grove
 Steve Crouse — Mt. Zion
 Jack Sprinkle — Clark's Chapel
 Frank Denning — Friendship
 Leland Green — Bethany
 Howard Hawkins — Lakeview
 Dale Fisher — Mt. Zion
 Derrick Maltba — Setzer's Creek
 Dean Harrold — Poovey's Chapel
 Nicky Waters — Pisgah

MUSICIANS

Marlene Alexander — Central
 Joan Crouse — Mountain View
 Eric Hopkins — Mountain Grove
 Ron Burgett — Harrisburg
 Earl Lingle — Clover
 Paul Carson — Clover
 David Young — Clover
 Larry Jump — Trinity Methodist
 Laura Jump — Trinity Methodist
 Mary Bentley — Crest View
 Faye Townsend — Indian Hills
 Barry Mock — Hartland
 Edgar Haas — Setzer's Creek
 Michelle Coffey — Baton
 Steve Crouse — Mt. Zion
 Martha Crouse — Mt. Zion
 Reggie Greene — Friendship
 Leland Green — Bethany
 Pat Enloe — Meadowbrook
 Gaynelle McCall — Meadowbrook
 Dan Martin — Rhodhiss FBC
 Terry Gentry — Setzer's Creek
 Harold Joplin — Rhodhiss FBC
 Dairl Reece — United Methodist
 Rutherford College

“ In Judea ”

State Missions Report
 Floyd Annas, Mount Zion Baptist Church
 State Missions Promotion and Projects Director

January 28 - February 3, 1990, twenty-six people from seven of our Baptist Churches in Caldwell Association helped in the renovation of our North Carolina Baptist Assembly at Caswell. These volunteers included:

Fred Mitchum — Center Grove	Johnsie Woods — Mt. Zion
Ruby Mitchum — Center Grove	Walter Callis — Mt. Zion
Thomas Calloway — Center Grove	Floyd Annas — Mt. Zion
Laurie Calloway — Center Grove	Theresa Annas — Mt. Zion
Curtis Powell — Dry Ponds	R.B. Miller, Jr. — Mt. Zion
Clara Powell — Dry Ponds	Virginia Miller — Mt. Zion
Earl Woods — Mt. Zion	Hovis Allen — Hudson FBC
Ken Sullivan — Hudson FBC	Dave Bumgarner — College Avenue
Earl Keller — Hudson FBC	Dale Fisher — Mt. Zion
Curtis Moore — College Avenue	Caroll Hedrick — Hartland
Terry Barnes — Collee Avenue	Steve Hedrick — Kings Creek
L.G. Tomlinson — College Avenue	Clay Hedrick — Kings Creek
Virginia Tomlinson — College Ave.	Bob Lowman — Kings Creek

“ In Samaria”

Home Missions Report

Marlene Alexander, Central Baptist Church

Home Missions Promotion and Projects Director

As Home Missions has been promoted in Caldwell Association this year, people have become very excited as they realize how they could be personally involved. Home Mission studies have been taught. The Home Mission Week of Prayer, Annie Armstrong Easter Offering and Volunteers in Missions have been promoted. Thirty-six volunteers from ten Caldwell Baptist Churches went to Oklahoma City July 20-28, 1990 to work at the Baptist Center with Home Missionary Beverly Perez. The work consisted of five Backyard Bible Clubs, Day Camp, Clown and Puppet Ministries, Musicals, Survey Work, One-on-One Witnessing, Construction Work, Working in Pharmacy and Office Work. Volunteers for the second Home Mission trip for Caldwell Baptist Association were:

Marlene Alexander — Central	Dale Fisher — Mt. Zion
Robert Alexander — Central	Barbara Fisher — Mt. Zion
Shawn Alexander — Central	Phil Turnmire — Mt. Zion
Joann Propst — Rhodhiss FBC	Angie Turnmire — Mt. Zion
Mildred Roberts — Whitnel FBC	Linda Austin — Mt. Zion
Martha White — Whitnel FBC	Christie Austin — Mt. Zion
Becky Brown — Friendship	Carrie Barefoot — Mt. Zion
Gay Greer — Friendship	Nikki Cox — Mt. Zion
Angie Estes — Lower Creek	Angela Fleming — Mt. Zion
Todd Estes — Lower Creek	Nikki Johnson — Mt. Zion
Mozelle White — Oak Grove	Lisa Price — Mt. Zion
Rita Murphy — Temple Hill	Crystal Ward — Mt. Zion
Melissa Overcash — Temple Hill	Jeff Bentley — Mt. Zion
Kim Greer — Temple Hill	Paul Bentley — Mt. Zion
Angie Brown — Union Grove	Larry Phillips — Mt. Zion
Myra Land — North Catawba	Jamie Deitz — Mt. Zion
Steve Crouse — Mt. Zion	Kristy Cogdell — Mt. Zion
Martha Crouse — Mt. Zion	Cendy Harris — Mt. Zion

“Unto the Uttermost Part of the Earth”

Foreign Missions Report

Robert Livingston, Yadkin Baptist Church

Foreign Missions Promotion and Projects Director

Foreign Missions has been promoted throughout Caldwell Baptist Association as volunteer teachers from across our nation were used by many of our Caldwell churches as they studied about Foreign Missions. The 1989 Lottie Moon Associational Goal was \$240,000.00. Contributions from Caldwell Baptists totaled \$243,311.00.

Thirty Brazilians visited Caldwell Baptist Association, August 16-27, 1990. Their purpose for being in Caldwell was to observe the work of the Caldwell Baptist Association. We want to thank the West Lenoir Baptist Church for providing the Brazilians with a place to stay while they were in Caldwell Association. As they visited in some of our churches and associational meetings and shared about themselves, their work in Brazil and their love, they left a lasting imprint on Caldwell Baptists. We are labourers together with God.

Volunteers going to Brazil this year were:

TEAM 6 — EVANGELISM

John Barnhardt — North Catawba

Doug Jordan — Lower Creek

Herbert McCoy — Setzer's Creek

Lloyd Nichols — Setzer's Creek

TEAM 7 — CONSTRUCTION

Wayne Braswell — Yadkin

Claude Griffin — Yadkin

Steve Hollar — Union

Robert Livingston — Yadkin

Lewis Miller — Mt. Zion

Ken Sullivan — Hudson FBC

TEAM 8 — WMU AND EVANGELISM

Alma (Suzie) Helton — Dudley Shoals

Joann Propst — Rhodhiss FBC

Mildred Roberts — Whitnel FBC

Thank you Caldwell Baptists as you have answered that call to “Be a witness, in Jerusalem, in Judea, in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.”—Acts 1:8

1989-90 church and individual mission volunteers are as follows:

<u>Church</u>	<u>No. of Volunteers</u>	<u>Place of Service</u>	<u>Type of Work</u>
Clover	31	Charleston, W.V.	Backyard Bible Club, Revival and construction at First Southern Baptist Church of Alum Creek
College Ave.	11	Jamaica	Two V.B.S. and revival (400 children)
Concord	38	Charleston, S.C.	V.B.S. and concerts at James Island Baptist Church
Crest View	26	Hamilton, OH	Backyard Bible Club, door to door witnessing, Sun. & Wed. night services at Fairfield FBC
Dudley Shoals	25	Spartanburg, SC	V.B.S. and survey work at First Hispanic Baptist Church

Hartland	2	Summerton, SC	Helped with Hugo cleanup
Lower Creek	18	Florence, SC	Taught V.B.S. at Tans Bay Mission
Rhodhiss FBC	17	Myrtle Beach, SC	Day Camp at 2 camp-grounds. One-on-one witnessing on beach
Temple Hill	21	Cowen, WV	Backyard Bible Club painted church, evangelism, visitation, visited rest home, revival and music, (14 professions of faith)
Union Grove	7	Collettsville, NC	Painted Green Valley Baptist Church
Whitnel	13	Crooksville, WV	V.B.S. and construction on church building
Whitnel FBC	3	War Eagle, WV	Distributed clothing, food and quilting items
Yadkin	20	Myrtle Beach, SC	Day camp at camp-grounds, concerts
<u>Church</u>	<u>Individual</u>	<u>Place of Service</u>	<u>Type of Work</u>
Cajah's Mtn.	Harold Younce	Logan, WV	Helped build church and did evangelistic work
Dry Ponds	Judy Yost	Mexico	M.K. Teacher, Mission Meeting
Dry Ponds	Steve Yost	Decator, GA	Summer missionary, worked at Oakhurst Baptist Church
Dudley Shoals	Alma Helton	Uruguay/Mexico Germany Guadeloupe	M.K. Teacher, Mission Meetings Cooked for Hugo cleanup crew
Dudley Shoals	Keith Sims Shirley Sims	Pineville, WV Caswell Lenoir	Bricked church, 5 others from Dudley Shoals helped Bricked Benchroad Baptist Church, 2 others from Dudley Shoals helped Blocked building at Bethel Colony
Dudley Shoals	Keith Sims Shirley Sims	Hiddenite (Alexander Association)	Blocked foundation of a home for a burned out family

Hartland	Gwyn Warren	Mexico	M.K. Teacher, Mission Meeting
Hudson FBC	Muriel Nanney	Mexico	M.K. Teacher, Mission Meeting
Lower Ceek	Richard Cole	Germany	M.K. Teacher, Mission Meeting
	Ernest Bartles		M.K. Teacher, Mission Meeting
	Brenda Bartles	Germany/Mexico	M.K. Teacher, Mission Meeting
Rhodhiss FBC	Joann Propst	Uruguay/Mexico	M.K. Teacher, Mission Meetings
Temple Hill	Jason Guyer	Jamaica	Evangelism
Whitnel FBC	Mildred Roberts	Uruguay/Germany Mexico	M.K. Teacher, Mission Meetings

MUSIC MINISTRY COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Brooks Walker, Director
North Catawba Baptist Church

It seems hard to count the years as they pass so quickly and yet another calendar year is set aside. People face change and little ones grow older, and yet amidst the change, there is a bond of continuity, not just a thread but a highway which transverses the ages.

The path I speak of is the pathway of praise on the highway called God's Grace. We praise God not as a hobby or pastime in church, but because He alone is worthy of our praise. In the light of God's praise a marvelous thing happens. In the reflection of God's glory, man himself is glorified. In praising God with our time and talent, we too receive a portion or a reflection of God's praise. This is God's way of sharing His love and glory.

It is to point out this praise to the Caldwell Baptist Association that I report on some of the preceding year's activities in the area of music. In the past, I have listed names and figures which have pleased many people. But this year I would just like to say that the music events in this association were all well attended and well received. The level of enthusiasm was present from the youngest, at the Children's Choir Clinic (July 30 - August 2); to the oldest, at the Adult Praise Sing (August 21). Many churches and many individuals spent long hours preparing for these events and their preparation was greatly appreciated. We even enjoyed the international flair by the choir from Sao Paulo, Brazil.

People coming together, all ages, all nationalities and from all social and economic walks of life, coming together to learn from one another and to share their praises to God.

That is what the Music Council has to report, that the association has taught and been taught, we have given and have received through the medium of music. All because of God's love and mercy. We have given glory to God who in turn has allowed us to bask in His radiant splendor.

May we forever endeavor to praise God through our gifts and talents.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

Paul White, Chairman
Mulvale Baptist Church

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INC.
ASSOCIATIONAL LEADERSHIP
October 1, 1990 - September 30, 1991

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES BOARD OF DIRECTORS

District I: John Moore (Mulvale Baptist Church)	1991
Route 10, Box 375, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-7812)	
District II: Rev John Demauro (Nelson's Chapel Church)	1991
Route 8, Box A214, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-1359)	
District III: Hugh Wilson (Lenoir FBC)	1992
P.O. Box 638, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4002)	
District IV: Charles Beck (Central Baptist Church)	1992
1102 Applegate Court, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-2721)	
District V: Rev. Jim Hamby (Fellowship Baptist Church)	1993
468 Fir Street, C-44-05, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-2248)	
District VI: Lee Huffman (Granite Falls FBC)	1993
P.O. Box 87, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-3452)	

OFFICERS

Chief Executive Officer/Registered Agent: Rev. R. Dale Fisher (Mt. Zion Bapt. Church)
P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4081)
Moderator/President: Rev. Glenn Walker (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)
Route 3, Box 345, Hudson, NC 28638 (396-1241)
Vice-Moderator/Vice President: Rev Stuart White (Whitnel FBC)
503 Connelly Springs Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-3240)
Clerk/Secretary: Ann Hatton (Kings Creek Baptist Church)
P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4081)
Treasurer: Jack Spainhour (Lenoir FBC)
P.O. Box 177, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-5350)

The Director of Missions and Clerk, who is the Administrative Assistant, serve as officers but are not elected annually.

COMMITTEES Associational Meetings Committee

Rev. Steve Crouse (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)	1991
Route 3, Box 258, Hudson, NC 28638 (396-1241)	
Rev. Stuart White, Chairman (Whitnel FBC)	1991
503 Connelly Springs Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-3240)	

Mrs. Anna Dean Smith (Mountain Grove Baptist Church)	1992
Route 1, Box 112, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-9557)	
Rev. Dan Redding (Center Grove Baptist Church)	1992
Route 3, Box 826, Hudson, NC 28638 (396-5284)	
Mrs. Karla Lowman (Kings Creek Baptist Church)	1993
Route 1, Box 444, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-0133)	
Dr. Paul Childers (Concord Baptist Church)	1993
5 Circle Drive, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1914)	

Communications Committee

Sara Moore (Clover Baptist Church)	1991
P.O. Box 737, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-7634)	
Vera Sullivan (Lenoir FBC)	1991
1018 Randolph Circle, S.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-3237)	
Mrs. Sandy Crump (Whitnel FBC)	1992
518 Viewmont Street, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4030)	
Mrs. Lena Braswell (Hudson FBC)	1992
Route 1, Box 66-A, Hudson, NC 28628 (728-8685)	
Mrs. Lynn Ingle (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church)	1993
Route 1, Box 212, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1201)	
Deanna Chester, Chairman (Concord Baptist Church)	1993
Route 2, Box 303, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-6567)	

External Relations Committee

Rev. Don Rogers (Lenoir FBC)	1991
801 Armstrong Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-8428)	
Henry Lathan, Chairman (Central Baptist Church)	1992
P. O. Box 326, Hudson, NC 28638 (unlisted)	
Bill Kincaid (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)	1993
Route 1, Box 344-A-1, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-6626)	
Mrs. Ruth Greene (Baton Baptist Church) American Bible Society Rep.	1991
Route 2, Box 272, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-9312)	
Rev. Frank Colburn (Lower Creek Baptist Church) Annuity Board Rep.	1991
802 Pennell Street, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-8005)	
Elizabeth J. Campbell (Lenoir FBC) Baptist Foundation Rep.	1991
516 Main Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-9050)	
Harold Early (Mountain Grove Baptist Church) Christian Education Rep.	1991
Route 2, Box 10, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-9297)	
Stella Austin (Kings Creek) Foreign Missions Rep.	1991
1052-6 Cedar Hills Court, S.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-7604)	
Ella Keller (Granite Falls FBC) Home Missions Rep.	1991
41 Crestview Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-4330)	
Mrs. Joann Propst (Rhodhiss FBC) State Missions Rep.	1991
63 Duke Power Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-3450)	
Mrs. Donna Lail (Dudley Shoals Church) NC Baptist Children's Homes Rep.	1991
Route 2, Box 380, Lenoir, NC 28645 (757-0700)	

- Rev. Kenneth Little (College Avenue Church) NC Baptist Hospital Rep. . . . 1991
 P.O. Box 592, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-6482)
- Rev. A.J. Singley (Mt. View Church) NC Baptist Retirement Homes Rep. . . 1991
 268-D North Fairview Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-8595)
- Carole Church (Clover Church) Religious Literature/Biblical Recorder Rep. . 1991
 39 Forest Avenue, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-2417)

Finance Committee

- Floyd Annas (Mt. Zion Baptist Church) 1991
 P.O. Drawer 620, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1970)
- Fred King (Bethany Baptist Church) 1991
 Route 8, Box 212, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-2945)
- Mrs. Marline Barnes (Baton Baptist Church) 1992
 Route 2, Box 448-B, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-9270)
- Rev. Frank Denning (Friendship Baptist Church) 1992
 Route 2, Box 413-D, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-5121)
- Rev. Don Ingle, Chairman (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church) 1993
 Route 1, Box 212, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-7300)
- Bill Isaacs (Yadkin Baptist Church) 1993
 130 Hillwood Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7437)

History Committee

- John O. Hawkins (Piney Grove Baptist Church) 1991
 Route 5, Box 430, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-5806)
- Steve McCorkle (Lenoir FBC) 1991
 P.O. Box 751, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4335)
- Mrs. Elizabeth Moore, Chairman (Granite Falls FBC) 1992
 881 Moore Acres Drive, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1570)
- Miss Sherry Austin (Hudson FBC) 1992
 P. O. Box 351, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-9278)
- Marilyn Gragg (Globe Baptist Church) 1993
 Route 8, Box 331, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-5913)
- Tammy Hefner (Mt. Zion Baptist Church) 1993
 Sharon Place C-17-11, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-2168)

Membership Committee

- Rev. Leland Green (Bethany Baptist Church) 1991
 602 Swanson Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-3782)
- Ben Sullivan (Lenoir FBC) 1991
 1018 Randolph Circle, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-3227)
- Charles Suddreth (Yadkin Baptist Church) 1992
 Route 5, Box 760, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7869)
- Dr. Howard Hawkins (Lakeview Baptist Church) 1992
 2618 Hogan Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-9652)
- Mrs. Winifred Thurkill (Hudson FBC) 1993
 544 Circle Drive, C-22-6, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-6294)

Dr. Robert Evans, Jr., Chairman (Granite Falls FBC).....	1993
47 Crestview Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1922)	

Nominating Committee

Donna Joplin (Harris Chapel Baptist Church) District V.....	1991
Route 2, Box 416-A10, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-4430)	
Shiela Fox (Mt. Zion Baptist Church) District VI	1991
Route 2, Box 466-K, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-4942)	
Rev. Paul White (Mulvale Baptist Church) District I	1992
Route 10, Box 409, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7714)	
Rev. Sherrill German (Yadkin Baptist Church) District II	1992
P. O. Box 254, Patterson, NC 28661 (754-6000)	
Ned Leftwich (Lower Creek Baptist Church) District III	1993
874 Beverly Circle, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7558)	
Caroll Hedrick (Hartland Baptist Church) District IV	1993
Route 6, Box 388, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-2656)	

Personnel Committee

Clarence Prestwood (Miller Hill Baptist Church).....	1991
1421 Overlook Drive, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-6140)	
Brooks Barber (Baton Baptist Church)	1991
Route 2, Box 410-B, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (728-2154)	
Rev. Joel Sellers, Chairman (Lower Creek Baptist Church).....	1992
633 Lower Creek Drive, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-2315)	
Ronald Beane (Mountain Grove Baptist Church)	1992
P. O. Box 548, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-9609)	
Conley Starnes (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church).....	1993
709 Dudley Shoals Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-3491)	
Charles W. Johnson, Jr. (FBC Lenoir)	1993
305 Woodsway Street, N.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-9097)	

Properties Committee

Nora McGee (Meadowbrook Baptist Church).....	1991
306 Vaiden Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-6163)	
Rev. Herbert McCoy (Setzers Creek Baptist Church).....	1991
Route 10, Box 752, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4856)	
Dennis Farr (Friendship Baptist Church)	1992
Route 2, Box 395, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-3090)	
James Winkler (Piney Grove Baptist Church)	1992
Route 5, Box 268, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-1440)	
Dare Teague (Kings Creek Baptist Church)	1993
Route 1, Box 210, Boomer, NC 28606 (758-1397)	
Lewis Miller, Chairman (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)	1993
Route 2, 309 Magnolia Lane, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-2667)	

Search Committee—(Nominated only as needed)

Strategy Committee

Barry Warren (Lower Creek Baptist Church).....	1991
882 Beverly Circle, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4114)	
Sidney (Pete) Underdown, Chairman (Lenoir FBC).....	1991
P.O. Box 614, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-8194)	
Hill Lackey (Kings Creek Baptist Church).....	1992
Route 1, Box 568, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-1726)	
Annie High (Granite Falls FBC).....	1992
P. O. Box 525, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-3000)	
Mrs. Linda Story (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church).....	1993
35 Countryside Drive, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-7221)	
Joe Icard (Poovey's Chapel Baptist Church).....	1993
171 Cajah's Mountain Road, C-31-5, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-4981)	

COORDINATING COUNCILS

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Interim Director: Rev. Dale Fisher (Mount Zion Baptist Church)	
P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4081)	
Associational Meetings Chairman: Rev. Stuart White (Whitnel FBC)	
503 Connely Springs Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-3240)	
Communications Committee Chairman: Deanna Chester (Concord Baptist Church)	
Route 2, Box 303, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-6567)	
External Relations Committee Chairman: Henry Lathan (Central Baptist Church)	
P.O. Box 326, Hudson, NC 28638 (unlisted)	
Finance Committee Chairman: Rev. Don Ingle (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church)	
Route 1, Box 212, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-7300)	
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881 Moore Acres Drive, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1570)	
Membership Committee Chairman: Dr. Robert Evans, Jr. (Granite Falls FBC)	
47 Crestview Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1922)	
Nominating Committee Chairman: Rev. Paul White (Mulvale Baptist Church)	
Route 10, Box 409, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7714)	
Personnel Committee Chairman: Rev. Joel Sellers (Lower Creek Baptist Church)	
633 Lower Creek Drive, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-2315)	
Properties Committee Chairman: Lewis Miller (Mount Zion Baptist Church)	
Route 2, 309 Magnolia Lane, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-2667)	
Strategy Committee Chairman: Sidney (Pete) Underdown (Lenoir FBC)	
P.O. Box 614, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-8194)	

ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

Associational Staff

Director of Missions: Rev. R. Dale Fisher (Mount Zion Baptist Church)
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Church Development Director: Rev. Daniel F. Lipp
P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4081/754-2884)
Administrative Assistant: Ann Hatton, Secretary (Kings Creek Baptist Church)
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Coordinating Councils Directors

Administrative Services Director: (to be filled in 1991)
Fellowship Director: (to be filled in 1991)

Mission Performance Programs Directors

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Discipleship Training Director: Rev. Jack Sprinkle (Clarks Chapel Church)
345 Clarks Chapel Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-7312)
Evangelism Director: Dr. Clifton Black (Mt. Grove Baptist Church)
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Family Ministry Director: Rev. Michael Isaacs (FBC Hudson)
106 Peachtree Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-4297)
Media Library Director: Mrs. Bobbi Watson (Miller Hill Baptist Church)
112 Tut Hill Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-8661)
Missions Development Director: Mrs. Joann Propst (FBC Rhodhiss)
63 Duke Power Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-3450)
Music Ministry Director: Rev. Brooks Walker (North Catawba Baptist Church)
Route 3, Box 307, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-9253)
Pastoral Ministries Director: Dr. Curtis Tutterrow (College Avenue Church)
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Prayer Director: Mrs. Dolores Leftwich (Lower Creek Baptist Church)
874 Beverly Circle, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7558)
Recreation Director: Joe Gibbons (FBC Lenoir)
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Seminary Extension Director: Mrs. Delores Hawkins (Lakeview Baptist Church)
518 Scroggs Street, N.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7710)
Stewardship Director: Mrs. Joann Kincaid (Hartland Baptist Church)
Route 11, Box 38, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-5012)
Sunday School Director: Rev. Douglas Jordan (Lower Creek Baptist Church)
633 Lower Creek Drive, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-2315)
W.M.U. Director: Mrs. Alma Helton (Dudley Shoals Baptist Church)
Route 5, Box 1450, Hickory, NC 28601 (396-2023)

FELLOWSHIP COUNCIL

Interim Director: Rev. R. Dale Fisher (Mount Zion Baptist Church)

P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4081)

Ministers' Conference President: Rev. Keith Shorter (Crest View Baptist Church)

211 Robinwood Circle, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-8888)

Ministers Wives' Program Chairman: Mrs. Joan Crouse (Mountain View Baptist Church) 2513 Central Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-9693)

Youth Leaders Coordinator: Rev. Steve Crouse (Mount Zion Baptist Church)

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President: Rev. Keith Shorter (Crest View Baptist Church)

211 Robinwood Circle, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-8888)

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Route 7, Box 207, Morganton, NC 28655 (704)437-5526

Program Leader: Rev. Jim Hamby (Fellowship Baptist Church)

Route 1, Box 444, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-6682)

Pianist: Rev. Garland Higgins (Miller Hill Baptist Church)

1230 Virginia Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4550)

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Joan Crouse, Chairman (Mountain View Baptist Church)

2513 Central Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-9693)

Lisa Payne (Flemings Chapel Baptist Church)

Route 6, Box 296, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-7862)

Anita Redding (Center Grove Baptist Church)

Route 3, Box 826, Hudson, NC 28638 (396-3224)

YOUTH LEADERS FELLOWSHIP GROUP

Coordinator: Rev. Steve Crouse (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)

Route 3, Box 258, Hudson, NC 28638 (396-1241)

MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAM COUNCILS

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Adult Director: Rev. Terry Barnes (College Avenue Church)
P.O. Box 592, Lenoir, NC 28645 (745-6482)
Youth Director: Rev. Rick Bene (Crest View Baptist Church)
1252 Oaklawn Street, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-8888)
Children's Director: Ms. Linda Richards (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)
83 North Highland Avenue, Granite Falls, NC 28630 (396-1066)
Preschool Director: Mrs. Donna Miller (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)
309 Magnolia Lane, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-2667)
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Associational Vacation Bible School Team

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- Middle Preschool Director: Mrs. Barbara Fisher (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)
P.O. Box 445, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-4744)
- Older Preschool Director: Donna Miller (Mt. Zion Baptist Church)
309 Magnolia Lane, Hudson, NC 28638 (728-2667)
- Younger Children's Director: Mrs. Mildred Roberts (FBC Whitnel)
124 Walt Arney Road, Lenoir, NC 28645 (754-3593)
- Middle Children's Director: Mrs. Janice Younce (Harrisburg Baptist Church)
510 Fairway Acres, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-4602)
- Older Children's Director: Mrs. Joan Crouse (Meadowbrook Baptist Church)
2513 Central Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645 (728-9693)
- Youth Director: Rev. Dan Redding (Center Grove Baptist Church)
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- Adult Director: Rev. Ted Williams (Harrisburg Baptist Church)
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PASTORAL MINISTRIES COUNCIL REPORT

Dr. Dale Larew, Director
Crest View Baptist Church

The Pastoral Ministries Council assists the churches in the development of pastoral ministries, deacon ministry, vocational guidance and church administration services. In addition, the council is responsible for interviewing candidates for ordination to the "Gospel Ministry" as requested by the churches.

On August 6, 1989, a ministry began at the Meadowbrook Manor Nursing Home, now named the Lenoir Living Center, which has been sponsored by the Pastoral Ministries Council. The ministry involves providing the residents with two Sunday afternoon worship services per month, one on the first Sunday and the other on the third. Rev. Gil Larew and Rev. Dale Fisher have been responsible for these services since their beginning. The ministry has been active for fifteen months.

A Deacon Workshop was provided on January 5-6, 1990 at the Mount Zion Baptist Church. A good attendance was evident with excellent participation. The workshop centered around a series of video tapes on deacon ministry.

Associational Staff

PASTORAL MINISTRIES — ORDINATION COUNCIL

Rev. Dale Fisher, Acting Director
Mount Zion Baptist Church

The Pastoral Ministries Council serving in its role as the Associational Ordination Council has interviewed for four individuals this year as candidates for the Gospel Ministry. The candidates, the churches requesting this assistance and the dates of the examination are as follows:

1. Ron Burgett, Harrisburg, November 30, 1989
2. Jason Guyer, Temple Hill, April 9, 1990
3. Gilbert Blackburn, Lower Creek, May 1, 1990
4. Dennis Whitt, Union Grove, September 21, 1990

Each of these men were asked questions in regard to his Christian conversion, call from God, doctrinal beliefs, family, denominational participation, and work of a minister. The council was favorably pleased with the responses and recommend that each church proceed with the ordination.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. Joel Sellers, Chairman
Lower Creek Baptist Church

The major responsibility of the Personnel Committee this past associational year has been the search for a Church Development Director. This new staff position was approved by the association in annual conference last fall with the adoption of a job description and a tentative salary and benefits proposal.

Letters were sent to various leaders of state Baptist Conventions throughout the Southeast seeking recommendations to this position. Nearly thirty-five candidates expressed an interest by submitting applications and resumes. After careful scrutiny,

the committee asked the Reverend Dan Lipp, Minister of Education at First Baptist Church in Cary, North Carolina, for an interview. With a keen sense of God's guidance, the committee recommended Rev. Lipp to the association at the Summer Quarterly Meeting on July 26, 1990. He received an overwhelming vote of affirmation and will begin serving our association as the first Church Development Director on October 1, 1990.

The following job description was presented as information to the messengers during their Summer Quarterly Meeting. This position would replace the current Office Help position.

JOB DESCRIPTION FINANCIAL SECRETARY

- I. POSITION TITLE:
Financial Secretary for the Caldwell Baptist Association
- II. QUALIFICATIONS:
 - A. A committed Christian with a knowledge and appreciation of Southern Baptist denominational life
 - B. A minimum of a high school diploma with proficiency in general secretarial and financial accounting skills acquired through additional training and experience
 - C. A practical knowledge of general office equipment
 - D. A person who demonstrates professionalism in relating to people
- III. PROCEDURE FOR ENLISTMENT AND TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT:
 - A. "The Financial Secretary is enlisted and recommended to the association by the Personnel Committee. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment."
 - B. "The time of service for the Financial Secretary is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the employee or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.
(Article VI, Section 1.b., 1.d., Associational Bylaws)
- IV. RESPONSIBILITIES:
 - A. Assistant to the Treasurer
 1. Receives and deposits monies received by the association
 2. Prepares and issues checks as authorized by the association
 3. Maintains proper records of all monies received and disbursed
 4. Provides printed reports to the association of all receipts and disbursements as requested
 5. Prepares necessary financial reports to the government
 6. Receives and answers queries concerning financial matters
 - B. Office Assistant
 1. Serves as a supply for the Administrative Assistant during leave times, such as vacation or sickness
 2. Helps the Administrative Assistant with office responsibilities as needed

V. TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:

- A. Serves on an hourly, part-time basis
- B. Hourly wages to be set by the Personnel Committee subject to approval by the Finance Committee and the association
- C. Responsible to and supervised by the Treasurer in regards to financial work
- D. Responsible to and supervised by the Administrative Assistant in regards to general office work

PRAYER COUNCIL REPORT

Mrs. Dolores Leftwich, Director
Lower Creek Baptist Church

The Associational Prayer Council has been busy this past year developing a prayer chain for our association. To implement the prayer chain, the Prayer Council has attempted to enlist two prayer partners from each church. An Orientation Meeting for these prayer partners was held at the Crest View Baptist Church on August 12, 1990.

On October 7, 1990 at 2:30 P.M., the First Baptist Church of Lenoir hosted a praise and prayer meeting. Director of Missions, Dale Fisher, presided at the meeting.

Plans are being made to hold a Prayer Conference on September 6 and 7, 1991. The conference will be held at the First Baptist Church of Hudson. Dr. Bruce Anthony of the Southeast Baptist Church in Greensboro will be the conference leader.

PROPERTIES COMMITTEE REPORT

Lewis Miller, Chairman
Mt. Zion Baptist Church

The Properties Committee has been active this year. Several repairs and improvements have been made at the Caldwell Baptist Center in Lenoir and at the Caldwell Cottage in Ridgecrest.

CALDWELL BAPTIST CENTER

During the year, the front entrance door had to be repaired because of wood deterioration. In addition, Hugo the storm, damaged one of the panels that rings the top of the Baptist Center which was repaired. The Taylor Brothers Company and the Caldwell Glass Company made these repairs.

A sink hole developed in the front parking lot which had to be dug out and capped. Fortunately, this happened prior to the repaving and paint striping work. The front parking lot and service entrance drive in the back of the Baptist Center now have a very attractive look. The C. Nelson Sigmon Paving Company and the Asphalt Doctor (Wayne Ellis) made these improvements.

The Action Sign Company removed the "Caldwell Baptist Center" letters from the building and mounted them on a beige colored aluminum panel with a broze pinstripe border. The panel covers all of the old drill holes on the building.

CALDWELL COTTAGE

Six shower doors were purchased and installed at the cottage. Weighted shower curtains had failed to keep water from running onto the floor.

On December 2, 1989, a work day was held at the cottage. Nine people from the Meadowbrook, Mount Zion and Setzer's Creek Baptist Churches spent several hours doing clean-up and general maintenance to the property. A new cottage sign was placed on the bank to show the name and owner of the building. Mulch was spread around fifty Blue Rug shrubs that had been planted in front of the cottage by the Cantrell Nursery and Orchard Company.

The fire escape railing was redesigned for greater safety and later stained. Smoke detectors were checked and a fire extinguisher was installed. Gutters were cleaned out and repaired.

The installation of the shower doors and the work on the fire escape was done by the Miller Construction Company. The rest of the work, except for the shrubs, was done by volunteers.

RECREATION COUNCIL REPORT

Joe Gibbons, Director
First Baptist Church of Lenoir

The Recreation Council assists the churches in providing recreation methods, materials, services and experience, and is available to other associational organizations wishing to use recreation in accomplishing their particular tasks.

Associational Staff

RELIGIOUS LITERATURE/BIBLICAL RECORDER REPORT

Carole Church, Representative
Clover Baptist Church

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SEMINARY EXTENSION COUNCIL REPORT

Mrs. Delores Hawkins, Director
Lakeview Baptist Church

Bible study . . . really reading and seeing the Bible is what Seminary Extension classes are all about. Other courses of interest are offered from time to time—but, currently under study is “The New Testament Survey: The Gospels.” We are studying the life, teachings and ministries of Jesus. The Spring 1991 study will be “The New Testament Survey: The Early Church.” Do you already know all you should about God’s Word? Perhaps you’d like to join us in our next class . . . only one night a week for ten weeks each class. We have excellent Christian instructors, fellowship with Christians from many different professions; the excitement of learning! We all have a common aim . . . to grow, mature and learn from the study of the Bible.

Come and grow!

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

Mrs. Joann Propst, Representative
First Baptist Church of Rhodhiss

In the decade of the 80’s, the population of North Carolina grew 11.4%. The world population is growing on our doorstep. Of the six and one half million people who live in our state, 52.85% are lost. “The North Carolina fields are white unto harvest.” Opportunity knocks! As Christians, we cannot answer, “Here am I Lord—send my brother or sister.” It must become our mission to introduce the lost to Jesus as Lord, Master and Saviour. Through our prayers, concern and financial support, we can change lives in North Carolina.

The 1990 State Missions Offering Goal was \$1,800,00. The monies received will be used for Mission Ministries, Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute, Christian Higher Education, Christian Action League, Caswell, Associational Projects, W.M.U. and N.C. Baptist Men.

STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL REPORT

Mrs. Joann Kincaid, Director
Hartland Baptist Church

As the Stewardship Council we are to assist the churches in the understanding and development of individual and corporate stewardship. In light of our new endeavors of the Witness/Giving Life emphasis, we want to join with the Evangelism Section of the Home Mission Board, state evangelism directors, the Stewardship Commission, state stewardship directors, and the SBC Executive Committee to make a new commitment to grow in witnessing and giving.

On June 21, 1990, a Witness/Giving Life Seminar was held at the Western Steer Steak House, Hudson. Twenty-two pastors and other church leaders attended. We received much information and a great challenge for the coming year. The seminar was jointly sponsored by the Evangelism and Stewardship Division of the SBC.

There will be a Bold Mission Stewardship Conference on April 11, 1991, at the Western Steer Steak House, Lenoir, at 6:30 p.m. This will be for pastors and church leaders.

We can grasp the meaning of giving and witnessing in the Christian sense only against the background of God's revelation of Himself as the great Giver and Forgiver. Let's remember the Bold Mission Thrust is still ahead of us . . . Let's become involved.

STRATEGY COMMITTEE REPORT

Pete Underdown, Chairman
First Baptist Church of Lenoir

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS

The following three amendments were presented to the messengers as information during the Summer Quarterly Meeting. The amendments have gone through the proper procedure for presentation, discussion and vote during the Annual Meeting.

(title change)

CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS of the CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED CONSTITUTION

Article I. Name

(words changed)

The name of the corporation is the Caldwell Baptist Association, hereinafter referred to as "association."

Article IX. Dissolution

(Add Article)

This association may be dissolved by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present at any quarterly meeting of the association, provided that the recommendation to dissolve was presented in written or typed form to the clerk and publicly stated to the messengers by the moderator or his designee at the preceding quarterly meeting of the association. Typed copies of the recommendation are to be furnished to the messengers of the association for study at least two weeks prior to the vote on the recommendation. Upon vote to dissolve, the assets of the association will be dissolved by the Board of Directors upon instruction of the messengers.

Article X: Amendments

BYLAWS

(words changed, Article VI: Organization and Leadership
added)

Section 1. The association is organized into *six* levels of operation: Governing, Personnel, *Coordinating*, Administrative Services, Mission Performance Programs and Fellowship Groups.

B. PERSONNEL

1. Positions

- a. The Director of Missions is the general...
(added words) The Director of Missions is the chief executive officer of the association, *the registered agent of the corporation (association)*, and is...
- b. The Church Development Director...
- c. The Administrative Assistant...

(Amendment: new position)

- d. The Financial Secretary serves as assistant to the Treasurer and helps the Administrative Assistant with office responsibilities. It is a part-time position.

The Financial Secretary is enlisted and recommended to the association by the Personnel Committee. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment.

The time of service for Financial Secretary is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by employee or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

(Amendment: wording)

- e. A Summer Worker is to be hired (words replaced) *as needed* for approximately ten weeks of work. This person, normally a student (words deleted) does special projects as assigned by the Director of Missions or his designee.

The summer worker is enlisted and recommended to the association by the Personnel Committee. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment. (sentence added) *The association may have more than one summer worker per year if needed and money is available.*

(Amendment) (Delete "Office Help")

f. Custodial Services...

2. General:

a. Each paid employee is...

b. The Director of Missions is...

(Amendment: words added)

c. The Personnel Committee (words deleted) cannot recommend the Director of Missions, the Church Development Director, the Administrative Assistant, (words added) *the Financial Secretary*, or the Custodian to the association for termination of duties without proper notice and a clear explanation given...

A closing...

The summer worker (words deleted) and other temporary employees...

C. COORDINATING (New Section)

1. This level of operation is made up of the Administrative Services Council, the Associational Council and the Fellowship Council. The purpose of these councils is to coordinate the overall work of the association. The Associational Council serves as the primary coordinating council.

2. Coordinating Councils:

a. The Administrative Services Council consists of the Administrative Services Committee Chairmen. The council meets only as needed to coordinate the overall work of the committees. The council director represents the committees as a member of the Associational Council.

b. The Associational Council consists of the Mission Performance Programs Directors, the Administrative Services Council Director, the Fellowship Council Director, the Director of Missions, the Church Development Director and the Administrative Assistant, who serves as secretary. The purpose of the council is to coordinate the overall program and calendar of the association. The council meets only as needed.

c. The Fellowship Council consists of the head leaders of the associational fellowship groups. The council meets only as needed to discuss fellowship needs and to coordinate the activities of the fellowship groups. The council director represents the fellowship groups as a member of the Associational Council.

D. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

1. This level of operation is made up of the committees, (words changed) *the Board of Directors*, and officers of the association. Their purpose is to carry out assigned work in order to help the association operate smoothly. There are *eleven* committees, *the Board of Directors* and five officers.

2. Committees:

1. (Delete)

3. Board of Directors:

- a. The Board of Directors acts as the legal agent of the association. Its duties are to: (1) serve as legal representative of the association; (2) act as directed by the associational messengers in handling legal matters; (3) oversee the total insurance plan of the association; (4) hold in trust any property, money, endowment or other securities of the association; (5) exercise the power, under the instruction of the associational messengers, to hold, buy, sell, and convey property, both real and personal, and to sign all papers necessary for the purchase or conveyance; and to (6) act in behalf of the associational messengers, under unusual and extreme circumstances, giving a full report to the messengers as soon as possible to explain action taken.

(words added) The Board of Directors consists of eleven members. Serving are the five officers of the association, plus six other members, one from each of the six associational districts. The six associational district members are each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year. The Moderator serves as the presiding officer of the board. The Board of Directors meets annually in October and at other times necessary.

b Officers:

- (1) The Moderator, *also known as president*, presides over the quarterly and called meetings of the associational messengers, *and the meetings of the associational Board of Directors*. As the...
- (2) It is the duty of the Vice-Moderator, *also known as vice-president*, to discharge...
- (3) The Clerk, *also known as secretary*, records and...
- (4) The Treasurer receives...
- (5) The Director of Missions is the chief executive officer of the association, *also serving as the registered agent*.

E. MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAMS

F. FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

Section 2 (delete)

The current reading of the Constitution and Bylaws can be found in the *1989 Annual Minutes*.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

The following amendments to the Constitution of the Caldwell Baptist Association are presented from the Membership Committee as information to the messengers. Discussion and vote will take place on January 24, 1991, during the Winter Quarterly Meeting of the Messengers. The current reading is located on page 132 of the 1989 Annual Minutes.

ARTICLE V: Membership

Section 2. ADMISSION: When seeking admission into the association, a church must present to the Membership Committee a typed letter of request for admission (delete words). (Add words) *The letter should contain the name of the church, the reason for seeking admission into the association, and the date when the church voted to take such action.*

A. (Same)

B. At the next (words changed) *Quarterly Meeting of the Messengers*, the Membership Committee is to share the request with the association...(same)

STATISTICAL COMPARISONS

COMPARISONS	1987	1988	1989	1990
Churches	69	71	72	71
Church Members	26,158	25,662	25,802	26,421
Baptisms	513	632	574	577
Additions by letter	660	551	674	692
Total additions (Letter & Baptisms)	1,173	1,183	1,248	1,269
Sunday School Enrollment	14,838	15,013	15,200	14,699
S.S. Average Attendance	8,186	7,920	7,054	7,882
V.B.S. Enrollment	6,297	6,589	6,860	6,860
Discipleship Training Enroll.	3,858	4,063	4,009	4,712
D.T. Average Attendance	1,905	1,978	1,953	1,979
W.M.U. Enrollment	2,821	2,804	2,929	3,055
Brotherhood Enrollment	1,709	1,418	1,462	1,622
Music Ministry Enrollment	3,892	3,752	3,741	3,799
M.M. Average Enrollment	2,466	2,184	2,186	2,351
Lottie Moon Offering	233,150	251,773	243,311	—
Annie Armstrong Offering	73,564	81,832	82,802	93,374
N.C. Missions Offering	38,582	35,937	39,870	29,958
Cooperative Program Gifts	681,270	727,924	744,728	765,878
Total Mission Gifts	1,451,351	1,577,489	1,610,208	1,646,862
Undesignated Receipts	6,389,770	6,347,317	6,654,225	7,029,679
Total Church Receipts	7,718,860	8,124,357	8,537,078	8,796,688

*This information is from 64 of our 71 churches. In reality, many of the figures are higher. Seven churches did not return their Uniform Church Letter. These seven churches are: Globe, Green Rock, Johns River, Liberty, Lovelady, New Life and Pisgah.

SUNDAY SCHOOL COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Doug Jordan, Director
Lower Creek Baptist Church

This year's associational Sunday School work got off to a strong start with the second annual Spark Plug Night on October 17. The speaker was Dr. R. Wayne Jones, author of *Overcoming Barriers to Sunday School Growth* and co-author of *Growing an Evangelistic Sunday School*.

Association-wide High Attendance Day in Sunday School was observed on October 29 with an aggregate attendance of 10,022.

V.B.S. Director, Marlene Alexander, got pastors and church V.B.S. directors thinking about V.B.S. early with an Early Bird Clinic on February 22.

The ASSISTeam conducted Sunday School growth workshops on March 12 and 13. Conference leaders were: Dan Redding, Keith Shorter, Barbara Fisher, Linda Richards, Donna Miller and Doug Jordan.

V.B.S. Clinics were held on May 1 and 3. By popular demand, a third clinic was added for June. The response was so good that the late clinic will become a regularly scheduled event in future years.

The Pastor and Sunday School Director's Conference on June 25 was poorly attended. The topic was annual planning.

The "Getting-Ready" workshop planned for August was cancelled.

In addition to leading association-wide conferences and workshops, ASSISTeam members led church Sunday School conferences and were available for consultation with churches on Sunday School matters.

Major organization changes and curriculum improvements are on tap for next year. The Sunday School council has scheduled several events to prepare churches for these changes.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Jack Spainhour, Treasurer
Caldwell Baptist Association

October 1, 1989 - September 30, 1990

Balance October 1, 1989 \$48,543.52

I. RECEIPTS:

A. Undesignated Receipts \$142,717.76

B. Designated Receipts

1. Annual Minutes \$1,429.25

2. Baptist State Convention 2,843.35

3. Caldwell Cottage 8,564.14

4. Miscellaneous 6,007.41

Total Designated Receipts 18,844.15

Total Receipts 161,561.91

Total Receipts and Beginning Balance \$210,105.43

II. BUDGETED MINISTRIES:**A. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES**

1.	Annual Minutes	\$2,669.10	
2.	Baptist Center Media Library	893.12	
3.	Committees (misc. expense)	128.42	
4.	Contingency (memorials, etc.)	277.61	
5.	Office Expense	10,989.41	
6.	Properties		
	a. Baptist Center		
	(1) Maintenance and Building Improvement	9,048.02	
	(2) Office Equipment	107.37	
	(3) Utilities and Insurance	7,102.11	
	b. Caldwell Cottage		
	(1) Maintenance and Building Improvement	2,921.30	
	(2) Utilities, Insurance, Taxes	1,803.93	
7.	Treasurer	<u>2,544.00</u>	
	Total Administrative Services		38,484.39

B. FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

1.	Church Secretaries	158.62	
2.	Ministers Conference	230.00	
3.	Ministers/Wive's Quarterly Fellowship	286.00	
4.	Ministers' Wives . . . . .	.00	
5.	Music Leaders . . . . .	.00	
6.	Retired Ministers . . . . .	.00	
7.	Youth Leaders	<u>.00</u>	
	Total Fellowship Groups		674.62

C. GOVERNING (Messengers)

1.	Annual Meeting Meal	569.07	
2.	Miscellaneous: Speakers	<u>1,256.52</u>	
	Total Governing		1,825.59

D. MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAMS

1.	Associational Council	368.18	
2.	Brotherhood Council	1,217.33	
3.	Christian Life Council	168.95	
4.	Discipleship Training Council	911.64	
5.	Evangelism Council	566.88	
6.	Family Ministry Council	522.20	
7.	Media Library Council . . . . .	.00	
8.	Missions Development Council	4,475.40	
9.	Music Ministry Council	216.67	
10.	Pastoral Ministries Council	31.18	
11.	Prayer Council . . . . .	.00	
12.	Recreation Council . . . . .	.00	
13.	Seminary Extension Council	744.38	
14.	Stewardship Council	256.05	
15.	Sunday School Council	385.11	

—VBS.....	<180.78>
16. WMU Council	<u>2,315.00</u>
Total Mission Performance Councils	11,998.19

E. PERSONNEL

1. Salaries:

a. Director of Missions	25,863.12
b. Church Development Director .....	.00
c. Administrative Assistant	18,443.88
d. Custodial Services	2,352.00
e. Office Help	963.75
f. Summer Worker .....	.00

2. Benefits:

a. Housing and Utilities

(1) Director of Missions	10,069.80
(2) Church Dev. Director .....	.00

b. Insurance (Life, Medical & Disability)

(1) Director of Missions	4,302.19
(2) Church Dev. Director .....	.00
(3) Administrative Assistant	2,400.00

c. Retirement:

(1) Director of Missions	5,364.72
(2) Church Dev. Director .....	.00
(3) Administrative Assistant	2,754.08

3. Christmas Gifts:

a. Director of Missions	497.00
b. Church Dev. Director .....	.00
c. Administrative Assistant	355.00

4. Ministry Expense:

a. Conventions/Conferences:

(1) Director of Missions	689.71
(2) Church Dev. Director00

b. Hospitality

	255.97
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c. Travel:

(1) Director of Missions	4,545.72
(2) Church Dev. Director	538.90
(3) Administrative Assistant	299.26

5. Payroll Taxes:

a. Director of Missions	2,758.29
b. Church Dev. Director00
c. Administrative Assistant	<u>1,436.15</u>

Total Personnel	83,889.54
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F. SPECIAL MISSIONS

1. Baptist State Convention	750.00
2. Ministers Support	<u>2,000.00</u>

Total Special Missions	2,750.00
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Total Disbursements	<u>-139,622.33</u>
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BALANCE SEPTEMBER 30, 1990	<u><u>\$70,483.10</u></u>
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ANALYSIS OF RECEIPTS

September 1, 1989 - September 30, 1990

CHURCH	YEAR	MINUTES	TOTAL
Baton	\$1,843.94	\$11.25	\$1,855.19
Bethany		8.00	8.00
Blairs Fork			.00
Buffalo Cove	555.60	35.00	590.60
Cajahs Mountain	600.00		600.00
Calvary	400.00	93.75	493.75
Cedar Rock	1,144.80	95.00	1,239.80
Center Grove	2,993.50	15.00	3,008.50
Central	6,125.78		6,125.78
Clarks Chapel	3,710.67		3,710.67
Clearview		37.50	37.50
Clover	2,771.15		2,771.15
College Avenue	3,375.00		3,375.00
Concord	6,976.09		6,976.09
Conways Chapel		3.50	3.50
Crest View	1,967.00		1,967.00
Dry Ponds	5,459.60	42.00	5,501.60
Dudley Shoals	12,583.67	93.75	12,677.42
Edgemont			.00
Fellowship	4,310.35	18.75	4,329.10
Flemings Chapel	2,387.49	18.75	2,406.24
Friendship	3,476.30	17.50	3,493.80
Globe			.00
Grandin	100.00	37.50	137.50
Grandview Park	193.00		193.00
Granite Falls FBC	1,999.92	12.25	2,011.17
Green Rock			.00
Green Valley	150.00	30.00	180.00
Harris Chapel	1,215.65	45.00	1,260.65
Harrisburg	880.00	11.25	891.25
Hartland	2,296.00	22.50	2,318.50
Hibriten		18.75	18.75
Hudson FBC	7,000.00	82.50	7,082.50
Johns River			.00
Kings Creek	2,100.00	30.00	2,130.00
Lakeview	1,645.68		1,645.68
Lenoir FBC	5,730.00	7.00	5,737.00

Liberty			.00
Livingston Memorial	519.40	15.00	534.40
Lovelady			.00
Lower Creek	4,950.00	56.25	5,006.25
Meadowbrook	3,834.04	7.50	3,841.54
Miller Hill	1,622.14	15.00	1,637.14
Mountain Grove	5,381.74		5,381.74
Mountain View	250.00	15.00	265.00
Mt. Carmel	259.70		259.70
Mt. Zion	10,428.50	37.50	10,466.00
Mulberry	300.00	45.00	345.00
Mulvale	1,500.00	22.50	1,522.50
Nelsons Chapel	348.00	15.00	363.00
New Life	845.82		845.82
North Catawba	1,500.00		1,500.00
Oak Grove	1,200.00	56.25	1,256.25
Open Door (M)			.00
Piney Grove	720.00	75.00	795.00
Pisgah			.00
Pooveys Chapel	870.00	10.50	880.50
Pooveys Grove	618.36		618.36
Rhodhiss FBC	1,572.99		1,572.99
Rocky Springs	664.09	37.50	701.59
Rufus		10.50	10.50
Setzers Creek	1,620.00	37.50	1,657.50
Sunrise	300.00	45.00	345.00
Temple Hill	3,127.50	37.50	3,165.00
Union	2,359.00	35.00	2,394.00
Union Grove	3,200.00	37.50	3,237.50
West Lenoir		15.00	15.00
Whitnel FBC	8,366.41		8,366.41
Yadkin	1,678.88		1,678.88
Yadkin Valley	440.00		440.00
Zacks Fork	250.00	7.50	257.50
Misc. Minutes		10.25	10.25
Designated Receipts	17,414.90		17,414.90
TOTALS	\$160,132.66	\$1,429.25	\$161,561.91

Requirements for year \$128,412.00
Undesignated receipts for year \$142,717.76

TRUSTEES COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. John DeMauro, Chairman
Nelsons Chapel Baptist Church

The Trustees of the Caldwell Baptist Association met throughout the 1989-90 Associational Year with the primary purpose of completing the work necessary to incorporate the Caldwell Baptist Association. The messengers voted at the 1988 Annual Meeting to incorporate. With instructions from the messengers to proceed with the process of incorporation, the Trustees worked on, completed and presented to the messengers, copies of the Articles of Incorporation at the July, 1990 Quarterly Meeting of the association. The Articles of Incorporation were to be reviewed by the messengers and considered at the 1990 Annual Meeting.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION of Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.

A NONPROFIT CORPORATION

We, the undersigned natural persons of the age of eighteen or more, acting as incorporators for the purpose of creating a nonprofit corporation under the laws of the State of North Carolina, as contained in Chapter 55A of the General Statutes of North Carolina, entitled "Nonprofit Corporation Act," and the several amendments thereto, do hereby set forth:

Article I: Name

The name of the corporation is Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.

Article II: Duration

The period of duration of the corporation shall be perpetual.

Article III: Purpose

- A. The purpose for which this corporation is organized is to operate and function as an association of churches to assist member churches, individually and corporately, to enlarge and strengthen God's kingdom at home and around the world through evangelism and missions; and to encourage them to cooperate fully in the programs and ministries of this association, the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.
- B. In furtherance of its purpose and to the extent necessary to carry out such purpose, the corporation:
 1. Is to have all the powers given to and possessed by a North Carolina Corporation organized under the North Carolina Nonprofit Corporation Act.
 2. May engage in any lawful activity within the purpose for which the corporation may be organized which is incidental to and in furtherance of the exempt purpose of the corporation.

- C. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers or other private persons, except to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purpose as set forth in the Articles.
- D. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provisions of any future U.S. Internal Revenue Law) or (b) by any corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future U.S. Internal Revenue Law.)

Article IV: Government

The government of this corporation is associational in nature, and the final authority for the operation and management of the affairs of the corporation, spiritual and temporal, is vested in the messengers of the corporation, which authority is exercised in the manner set forth in the Constitution and Bylaws. Messengers alone have the authority to adopt and amend the Constitution and Bylaws, approve budgets, and govern and conduct the affairs of this corporation. Messengers are to be elected by the member churches as set forth in the Constitution and Bylaws.

Article V: Members

The membership of the corporation is composed of cooperating Southern Baptist Churches which have been approved for membership by the corporation. All present members of the association shall automatically become members of the corporation.

Article VI: Initial Directors

The number of initial directors shall be 11, and the initial directors and their names and addresses are as follows:

Moderator: Glenn R. Walker, Route 3, Box 345, Hudson, NC 28638
Vice-Moderator: Stuart White, 503 Connelly Spgs. Rd., Lenoir, NC 28645
Clerk: Ann L. Hatton, 1902 Hickory Blvd., S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
Treasurer: Jack B. Spainhour, 1302 Wildwood Rd., N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645
Director of Missions: R. Dale Fisher, 318 Magnolia Lane, Hudson, NC 28635
Rep. of District 1: John Moore, Rt. 10, Box 375, Lenoir, NC 28645
Rep. of District 2: Rev. John DeMauro, Rt. 8, Box A214, Lenoir, NC 28645
Rep. of District 3: Hugh Wilson, P.O. Box 638, Lenoir, NC 28645
Rep. of District 4: Charles Beck, 1102 Applegate Court, Lenoir, NC 28645
Rep. of District 5: Rev. Jim Hamby, 468 Fir St., C-44-05, Hudson, NC 28638
Rep. of District 6: Lee Huffman, P.O. Box 87, Granite Falls, NC 28630

Article VII: Dissolution

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such a manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes as shall at the same time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future U.S. Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Directors shall determine, subject to provisions of the Bylaws. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be dispersed by the Superior Court of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

Article VIII: Registered Office

The address of the initial registered office of the corporation in North Carolina is 208 Nuway Circle, N.E., Lenoir, North Carolina 28645, and the initial registered agent of the corporation is R. Dale Fisher.

Article IX: Incorporators

The names and addresses of the incorporators, acting as representatives of all current members of Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc. are:

Glenn R. Walker, Route 3, Box 345, Hudson, NC 28638
 Ann L. Hatton, 1902 Hickory Blvd., S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
 Stuart White, 503 Connelly Springs Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
 Jack B. Spainhour, 1302 Wildwood Road, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645
 R. Dale Fisher, 318 Magnolia Lane, Hudson, NC 28638

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, WE HAVE HEREUNTO SET OUT HANDS, THIS
 THE _____ day of _____, A.D., 1990.

 Glenn R. Walker

 Stuart White

 Ann L. Hatton

 Jack B. Spainhour

 R. Dale Fisher

I, _____, a Notary Public for said county and State do hereby certify that on the _____ day of _____, A.D., 1990, GLENN R. WALKER, STUART WHITE, ANN L. HATTON, JACK B. SPAINHOUR and R. DALE FISHER did appear before me and did each acknowledge the due execution of the foregoing Articles of Incorporation.

In testimony whereof, I have hereto set my hand and official seal, this
 the _____ day of _____, 1990.

 Notary Public

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION ANNUAL MEETING

Meadowbrook Baptist Church

April 10, 1989

7:00 P.M.

The Seventy-Sixth Annual WMU Session of Caldwell Baptist Association met at the Meadowbrook Baptist Church on April 2, 1990 at 7:00 p.m. "In His Name...From Hearts Overflowing" was the theme for the meeting. Mrs. Mary Suddreth, Associational WMU Director, called the meeting to order.

Mrs. Marlene Alexander led the congregation in singing "To Worship, Work, and Witness," accompanied by Mrs. Miriam Lamb at the piano.

Mrs. Joan Crouse, WMU Director at Meadowbrook Baptist Church, extended a warm welcome to everyone.

Miss Carole Church, accompanied by the Clover Acteens led the call to prayer for our missionaries who have birthdays on April 2. They also remembered Rev. Dale Fisher, our Director of Missions, whose birthday is April 4.

Mrs. Mary Suddreth recognized the following WMUs for special achievements:

Distinguished Associational WMU—Caldwell 1988-89:

Baton, Clover (5), Crest View (3), Dudley Shoals (3), Flemings Chapel (4), Lower Creek (2), Temple Hill (8), Whitnel FBC

Standard Church WMU 1988-89:

Dry Ponds, Oak Grove, Poovey's Chapel, Poovey's Grove

Committee Reports:

Time and Place Committee Mrs. Elsie Angley, Chairman, Clarks Chapel

Mrs. Jean McCoy, Setzer's Creek

1991 Annual Meeting Mt. Zion Baptist Church, April 1, 1991

1992 Annual Meeting Dry Ponds Baptist Church, April 6, 1992

Resolutions Committee Mrs. Sue Smith, Chairman, Miller Hill

Mrs. Leslie Smith, Union

Mrs. Melinda Perry, Lakeview

Be it therefore resolved that we express appreciation to:

1. Meadowbrook Baptist Church for graciously hosting the 1990 Associational WMU Annual Meeting.
2. Our Director of Missions, Rev. Dale Fisher for his continued support for our WMU Program.
3. Ann Hatton for her assistance in preparing our programs and mail-outs.
4. Jan Lail, Baptist Women Promotion, with emphasis on Acteens.
5. Constitution and Bylaws Committee, Alma Helton, Mary Suddreth and Jan Lail.
6. Heather Crump, Acteen from Whitnel FBC and Acteens from Clover Baptist Church.
7. Kathy Phillips, Missionary to Peru for the inspirational message.
8. All committee members who have served for 1988-89.
9. All WMU Associational Officers.

10. All outgoing officers: Muriel Nanny—Enlistment/Enlargement Director, Cheryl Wilson—Associate Acteens Director, Martha White—Mission Friends Director, Debbie McLean—Area 2 Director, Mary Suddreth—WMU Director

Be it finally resolved that: As we enter the 1990 “Here’s Hope” Simultaneous Revivals, we commit ourselves to do our best in personal witnessing to the lost, of the hope we have found in our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

Respectfully Submitted,
Sue Smith, Chairman

WMU Leadership Committee	Mrs. Delores Hawkins, Chairman, Lakeview Mrs. Carolyn Setzer, Whitnel FBC Mrs. Willie Mae Hege, Yadkin
WMU Director	Mrs. Alma Helton
Associate WMU Director	Mrs. Joann Propst
Baptist Women’s Director	Mrs. Jan Lail
Associate Baptist Women’s Director	Mrs. Blanche Reid
Baptist Young Women’s Director	Mrs. Vicki Overcash
Associate Baptist Young Women’s Director	Mrs. Glenda Lovins
Acteens Director	Mrs. Gwyn Warren
Associate Acteens Director	Ms. Rita Murphy
Girls in Action Director	Mrs. Mildred Roberts
Associate Girls in Action Director	Mrs. Carole Wilson
Mission Friends Director	Miss Andrea Calloway
Associate Mission Friends Director	Mrs. Becky Brown
Mission Action/Personal Witnessing Director	Mrs. Mary Bentley
Secretary/Treasurer	Mrs. Lena Braswell
Area Directors:	
Area 1	Mrs. Lillian Turnmire
Area 2	Mrs Diane Moretz
Area 3	Mrs. Sue Ford
Area 4	Mrs. Hazel Arnette
Area 5	Mrs. Linda Reid
Area 6	Mrs. Carole Church
Pianist	Mrs. Merle Chapman
Song Leader	Mrs. Marlene Alexander
WMU Leadership Committee 1990-91	Mrs. Carolyn Setzer, Chm., 1 yr. Mrs. Willie Mae Hege, 2 yr. Mrs. Kathryn Cloer, 3 yr.
WMU Ruth Keller Scholarship Comm. 1990-91 . . .	Mrs. Ruth Keller Craig, 1 yr. Mrs. Mary Suddreth, Chm., 3 yr.

Rev. Dale Fisher led in a prayer of dedication and commitment of all officers.

Rev. Fisher reminded us that the 1990 “Here’s Hope...Jesus Cares for You” revival emphasis’ main goal is that we may reach our country for Christ.

Mrs. Jan Lail presented the new Constitution and Bylaws. After some discussion, they were unanimously approved.

Mrs. Jan Lail led an interesting promotional, featuring Acteens, assisted by her daughter.

After the congregation sang "Share His Love," Heather Crump, an Acteen from Whitnel FBC sang, "Via Dolorosa."

Mrs. Mary Suddreth asked that we be responsible for a salad and sandwich meal for the Brazilians who are coming August 17-27.

The inspirational speaker was Mrs. Larry (Kathy) Phillips, missionary to Peru. She told of her work as a home and church worker with the seven million people in Lima, Peru. Two main projects that we have shared in are Bible translations for one of the Indian tribes and clean water for the people. She reminded us to be aware of the challenges around us and to share our light in our own corner of the world. Each of us has a purpose. She also showed slides of the churches and living conditions in Lima.

Mrs. Joann Propst led a challenging responsive reading and pronounced benediction.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS of the CALDWELL BAPTIST WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CONSTITUTION

Preamble

This constitution has been established to identify and preserve the fundamental truths and basic beliefs of Woman's Missionary Union.

Article I: Name

This body is known as the Caldwell Baptist Woman's Missionary Union.

Article II: Duration

On September 27, 1913, seven churches met during the annual meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association. The women were dismissed from the general meeting of the annual session being held at the First Baptist Church of Lenoir on Saturday morning. They went to meet in the nearby Episcopal Church with Mrs. J.A. Boldin presiding and Mrs. W.S. Covington acting as temporary secretary. Fifty women from seven churches were recognized with three societies already established at Lenoir First, Granite Falls First, and Lower Creek. "As a result of much previous prayer and planning, there came into being, an organization which was weak in number but strong in purpose: its ultimate aim being a missionary society in every church and every woman a member, all studying about, praying for, and giving to missions, and in the meantime, teaching the children and training the young people for more efficient service in the Master's Kingdom." This organization is continuing under the command of the Great Commission of Matthew 28:19-20 until Jesus returns.

Article III: Purpose

Woman's Missionary Union of the Caldwell Baptist Association is the liason organization between local church Woman's Missionary organizations and the Woman's Missionary Union of North Carolina. The purpose is to call the churches to be on missions; to provide resources and services to church and WMU leaders; to train, develop, and encourage churches and WMU leaders; to provide opportunities for working together in missions, ministry, growth, and evangelism; and to establish and maintain appropriate communication and relationships with the community and the denomination.

Article IV: Membership

The membership is made up of the members of Woman's Missionary Union organizations in churches of the Caldwell Baptist Association.

- A. Woman's Missionary Union is a program of the Caldwell Baptist Association. The membership voluntarily cooperates with the Caldwell Baptist Association.
- B. Woman's Missionary Union of Caldwell Baptist Association voluntarily cooperates with the Baptist State Convention as it relates to the promotion of Christian missions and with the world missions program of the Southern Baptist Convention, its institutions and agencies.
- C. Woman's Missionary Union of Caldwell Baptist Association voluntarily cooperates with Woman's Missionary Union, Auxiliary to the Southern Baptist Convention, in the promotion of Christian missions.
- D. Members of Baptist Women, Baptist Young Women, Acteens, Girls in Action, and Mission Friends are recognized as organizations through which the purpose of Woman's Missionary Union is accomplished.

Article VI: Committees

- A. The Leadership Committee is composed of three members. Each member serves for three years and members' terms are staggered in such a way so as to have one member rotate off each year. Each member serves as Chairman of the committee during her last year on the committee. The committee nominated all WMU officers and committee members.
 - 1. In early January, the Leadership Committee recommends to the Associational Nominating Committee, a person for the position of WMU Director. This WMU Director serves as one of the Mission Performance Directors of the Association. The Associational Nominating Committee presents the nomination of the WMU Director to the messengers at the Quarterly Meeting of the association in January for approval.
 - 2. The Leadership Committee and the WMU Director-elect prepare a slate of officers and committee members to recommend to the Associational Nominating Committee by March 31. This slate of officers is recommended for approval by the assembled body at the WMU Associational Annual Meeting in the spring.

Nominations may also be made from the floor. The Associational Nominating Committee then presents the nominations to the messengers for election at the April meeting of the Association.

- B. The Resolutions Committee is composed of three members who serve for one year. The committee selects a chairman and presents resolutions at the Annual Meeting of the WMU.
- C. The Executive Committee is composed of the WMU Council. The WMU Director serves as the committee Chairman. The WMU Council makes recommendations for the committee members to the Leadership Committee.
- D. The Ruth Keller Scholarship Committee is composed of three members. Each member serves for three years and members' terms are staggered in such a way so as to have one member rotate off each year. Each member serves as Chairman of the committee during her last year on the committee. The committee administers the Scholarship Program according to the established guidelines.

Article VII: Officers

- A. Officers of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Caldwell Baptist Association are a WMU Director, WMU Assistant Director, WMU Secretary-Treasurer, Mission Action/Personal Witnessing Director, Enlistment/Engagement Director, Baptist Women Director, Baptist Young Women Director, Acteens Director, Girls in Action Director, Mission Friends Director, Assistant Directors, Area Directors, and other officers as needed.
- B. The officers are approved at the Annual Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Women's Missionary Union. Approved officers are presented by the Associational Nominating Committee for election by the messengers at the April meeting. Elected officers should be limited to five consecutive years in the same office. The re-election of a person to the same office beyond the five year tenure should be in extreme situations only and should be fully explained to the assembled body prior to voting at the annual meeting.
- C. The term of office is concurrent with the Caldwell Baptist Associational year.
- D. If a vacancy occurs in an office before the term expires, the Associational WMU Leadership Committee, with the approval of the Associational Nominating Committee, will recommend a person to the WMU Council to fill the vacancy or determine the manner in which the duties will be discharged for the unexpired term.
- E. Duties of the officers are those listed in the ASSOCIATIONAL WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION MANUAL and the manuals for the age-level organizations of Woman's Missionary Union. All officers make written reports at each meeting of the WMU Council, and make written reports at mid-year and at the end of each year so as to determine if the goals and objectives of WMU are being met. The following duties are in addition to those outlined:
 - 1. The Secretary-Treasurer receives all of the funds contributed to the organization and disburses them in accordance with the budget of the organization or for which the funds are contributed.
 - 2. The Secretary-Treasurer requests from the Associational Treasurer for the WMU according to the approved budget.

3. The Secretary-Treasurer maintains a mailing list of missionaries from the Caldwell Association.
4. The Secretary-Treasurer updates missionary data and informs the WMU Council regularly.
5. The Secretary-Treasurer provides a written copy of minutes and treasurer's report for each WMU Council member at each meeting.
6. The Secretary-Treasurer conducts all correspondence for the WMU Council.

Article VIII: WMU Council

- A. The WMU Council is made up of the Associational WMU officers and others as needed.
- B. The Director of Missions and the Church Development Director of the Caldwell Baptist Association serve as "ex-officio" members of the WMU Council.
- C. The WMU Council meets at least quarterly.
- D. The WMU Council represents the Caldwell Baptist WMU in the interim between Annual Meetings.
- E. Each WMU Council member is provided with an ASSOCIATIONAL WMU MANUAL, a WMU MANUAL, the appropriate age-level manual, DIMENSION magazine, the appropriate age-level magazine, a current WMU YEARBOOK, and any other materials necessary for the fulfillment of her duties.

Article IX: Meetings

- A. The Caldwell Associational WMU meets annually in the spring for mission inspiration and transaction of business.
 1. The WMU Council determines the site, date, and program content of the Annual Meeting.
 2. The WMU members present at the Annual Meeting constitute the voting body.
 3. The privilege of making motions, debating, and voting is limited to members of the church WMU organizations.
- B. The Caldwell Association WMU provides a Leadership Training Workshop at the beginning of the associational year.
- C. The Caldwell Associational WMU conducts other meetings as needed for the associational mission work.
- D. Each age-level organization conducts at least one event annually.

Article X: Finances

- A. The Associational WMU is a non-profit organization.
- B. Finances are provided through the Association's Finance Committee process.
- C. All financial transactions are made through the WMU Secretary-Treasurer.
- D. Registration, lodging, and travel expense for the training workshops for the associational WMU officers is paid by the WMU.

- E. Honoraria and travel expenses for missionaries, guest speakers, and conference leaders are paid by the WMU.
- F. Registration, lodging, and travel expenses for WMU Council members to attend the following missions meetings related to their offices (listed in priority order) will be paid by the WMU if funds are available and if persons wish to attend:
 - 1. WMU Director to the State Annual Meeting. If she is unable to attend or does not wish to attend, the Assistant WMU Director may go in her place.
 - 2. WMU Age-Level Directors to the State Annual Meeting.
 - 3. Age-Level Directors to Age-Level Meetings.
 - 4. WMU Director to the National Annual Meeting. If she is unable to attend or does not wish to attend, the Assistant WMU Director may go in her place.

Article XI: Guidance

- A. The parliamentary authority of WMU is ROBERT'S RULES OF ORDER, REVISED.
- B. THE ASSOCIATIONAL WMU MANUAL is the basic guide.
- C. The Constitution and Bylaws of the Caldwell Baptist Association are followed.

Article XII: Amendments

This constitution may be amended at the Annual Meeting by a two-thirds majority vote of the members present. Proposed amendments must be submitted to the WMU Council at least two months prior to the Annual Meeting. The WMU Council must submit typewritten copies of the proposed amendments to associational churches at least one month prior to the Annual Meeting.

BYLAWS

- 1. Honoraria for missionaries and guest speaker is \$50.00 for one person or \$75.00 for a team. Overnight lodging will be paid if necessary. Mileage for travel will be paid at the rate of twenty-six cents per mile (the same rate used by the IRS and by the Association).
- 2. The WMU Council will host associational receptions at the Caldwell Baptist Center for missionaries from the Caldwell Association. Monetary gifts from associational churches are handled through the WMU Secretary-Treasurer. A guest register is given to the missionaries being honored by the WMU Council.
- 3. Mileage paid for WMU travel will be paid at the rate of twenty-six cents per mile (the same reate used by the IRS and the Association).
- 4. A missions memorial of \$15.00 will be given for a WMU Council member or her immediate family (parents, spouse, children).
- 5. An appropriate card will be sent from the WMU Council to a member of the Council as needed.
- 6. Birthday, Christmas, and other appropriate cards will be sent from the WMU Coun-

cil to missionaries from the Caldwell Association.

7. The WMU Director will be listed as a person who can sign checks in the absence of the WMU Secretary-Treasurer.
8. The Bylaws may be amended as needed by a two-thirds vote of the WMU Council. A report of any changes can be given to the assembled body at the Annual Meeting.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION COUNCIL REPORT

Mrs. Mary Suddreth, Director
Clover Baptist Church

Caldwell Baptist WMU began an exciting 1989-90 year with a Leadership Conference on October 2, 1989. One hundred seventeen persons representing 26 churches met at Poovey's Chapel Church to prepare themselves for the new year. Our WMU Emphasis for the year, "In His Name...Reach, Teach, Touch," was interpreted and a challenge given to REACH people for Christ in order to TEACH them to see needs recognize opportunities, and to commit themselves to TOUCH people in need — all IN HIS NAME. The WMU watchword for the year from Matthew 25:40 provided a scriptural foundation for this emphasis.

The following activities were held to assist churches in implementing this theme throughout their congregations:

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| November 3, 4 | The Associational WMU Director represented Caldwell WMU at the State WMU Officer's Retreat, Ridgecrest. |
| November 6 | Baptist Women World Day of Prayer was observed throughout the association. Approximately 47 met at the Whitnel FBC, 32 at the Crest View Church and others met in various locations. |
| November 13 | An Acteens Activity was held at the Central Church with 56 present. Mrs. Gwyn Warren led the meeting of praise, prayer and testimonies with Mrs. Jo Suttles providing inspirational music. |
| November 15 | The Associational WMU Council met at the Baptist Center with 16 council members and our DOM present. Goals were set for the 1989-90 year to: cultivate and strengthen relationships with existing WMU organizations, to contact churches without WMU, and to increase WMU membership by 175 members. |
| December 2 | A Mission Friends Leadership Fellowship was scheduled at the Western Steer in Lenoir. |
| December 3-10 | Week of Prayer for the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering observed. |
| January 18 | The Associational WMU Council met to make detailed plans for the upcoming quarter. |
| January 27 | A Mission Friends Leader meeting was held at the Clover Church. Emphasis was on family involvement with Mission Friends. Six persons attended. |
| February 11-17 | Focus on WMU encouraged in local churches. |
| February 15 | A Baptist Women/Baptist Young Women Prayer Retreat was held |

- at the Yadkin Baptist Church. There were one hundred twenty-one present. Associational BW Director, Jan Lail, led the meeting and placed special emphasis on "Acteens, This Is Your Year!"
- March 4-11 The Week of Prayer for Home Missions and Annie Armstrong Easter Offering was observed.
- March 15 The Associational WMU Council met at the Baptist Center. The council voted to sponsor a salad and sandwich dinner for the Brazilians who visited our area during August. The assistance of church WMU members was needed to help fund this project and provide food, snacks, and drinks for the Brazilians during their ten day stay in Caldwell County.
- March 17 Martha White, our Associational Mission Friends Director, hosted a Mission Friends Leader Meeting at the Temple Hill Baptist Church.
- March 25 A reception was held at the Baptist Center for Missionaries Craig and Ellen Steele. A special thanks to our church WMU organizations for helping with refreshments.
- March 30-31 The Annual State WMU Meeting was held at Ridgecrest. Mary Sud-dreth, Caldwell WMU Director, and several of our WMU Council members represented Caldwell.
- April 2 Our Caldwell Annual Associational WMU Meeting was held at Meadowbrook Baptist Church with approximately ninety-two representing twenty-four churches. Mrs. Kathy Phillips, Missionary to Peru, challenged us with her message and slide presentation. Ac-teen, Heather Crump, presented our special music, "Via Dolorosa." A revised WMU Constitution and Bylaws was adopted by the voting body.
- April 9 An Acteens Activity was held at the College Avenue Church. Mrs. Jean Bishop and her son from the First Baptist Church of the Deaf in Hickory presented information on the deaf ministry. There were approximately 52 in attendance.
- April 29 The Associational WMU Council met at Keller's Steak House in Granite Falls for a time of fellowship.
- April 30 A GA Rally was held at the Concord Church in Granite Falls. Mrs. Kathy Phillips, Missionary to Peru, was the guest speaker. One hun-dred ninety-one were present.
- May 18-19 Martha White, our Associational Mission Friends Director, prepared a Look & Learn Mission Friends feature for the church leaders. The three persons who attended this meeting said it was a well-planned meeting.
- May 21 Dudley Shoals Baptist Church hosted our Annual Baptist Young Women Banquet. Approximately seventy-five persons enjoyed a delicious meal as well as the inspriational message by summer mis-sionary, Lara Self. Music was provided by Karen Hall. Janet Kirby and her daughter. The theme for the meeting was "Back to the 50's." Vicki Overcash and Glenda Lovins directed the program.

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- June 2 Mrs. Harriet Parker, missionary to Japan, was the guest speaker at our GA Day Camp at Mt. Carmel. Ninety-six persons enjoyed the camp. Special thanks is due to Mildred Roberts and Alma Helton for planning this activity for us.
- June 7 WMU Annual Planning was the priority agenda for this Associational WMU Officers meeting at the Baptist Center.
- June 8, 9 Our first Associational GA Mother/Daughter Overnight Camp was held at the Blowing Rock Assembly Grounds in Blowing Rock, NC. Mary Frances Morphis, retired missionary from Germany, and Tracy Weigant, US-2 worker from Charlotte were guest speakers. One hundred two were present.
- June 10 Mary Suddreth, SMU Director and Alma Helton, Assistant GA Director, represented Caldwell AMU at the National WMU Meeting in New Orleans, LA.
- July 14 The Associational WMU Council for 1990-91 met at the Baptist Center to preview the theme, "Empowered." Ten members were present.
- July 21 Two Associational WMU Officers attended the State WMU Workshop at Fruitland.
- July 27, 28 Eight Associational WMU Officers attended the State WMU Workshop at Caraway.
- August 4 A Mission Friends Christmas Cook was held at the First Baptist Church of Whitnel. Four were in attendance.
- August 17 The Associational WMU Council in cooperation with the Caldwell Church WMU organizations sponsored a "Salad and Sandwich" Dinner for the Brazilians who visited Caldwell County. Many thanks to all churches who helped provide the meal, snacks and drinks. Approximately ninety-eight persons were present for the dinner.
- August 18 A GA Mission Fair was held at the First Baptist Church of Rhodhiss. Dot Blankenship, missionary to Morocco, was the guest speaker. GAs brought Christmas-in-August school supplies for the Oklahoma Baptist Mission Center. Ninety were in attendance.
- August 20 Eighty-six women attended the Baptist Women's Activity at Crest View Church. Jean Poe, former missionary to Brazil, was the speaker. Special music was provided by the Brazilian women who were visiting our association. Jan Lail, BW Director, presented gifts from the Caldwell women to the Brazilian women. The Brazilians also presented Caldwell Baptist Women with a set of coffee spoons from their country. Addresses were exchanged for continued communication with these sisters in Christ.
- September 20 The Associational WMU Council met at the Baptist Center for regular planning. Detailed planning was made for the WMU Leadership Conference to be held at Central Baptist Church on October 1.

During this past year, our Caldwell WMU was involved in several mission projects. A van load of items was taken to the Broughton Hospital in Morganton for Christmas.

Also, Clover, Concord, Crest View, Meadowbrook, Poovey's Chapel and Temple Hill WMU organizations gave a combined gift of \$155.00 to the NC Women's Prison Ministry in Raleigh. Churches have been encouraged to sponsor the Baptist Children's Homes located in Lenoir. Our Associational Mission Action/Personal Witnessing Director, Mary Bentley, is planning Mission Action projects for each quarter during the 1990-91 year. If area WMU members are interested, they may contact Mary at 758-4076.

Several of our Council members have taught mission studies and WMU Manual Studies throughout the year. We appreciate the work each one does to educate our churches in mission opportunities and thank the Council members for serving IN HIS NAME.

WMU FINANCIAL REPORT

October 30, 1989 - September 30, 1990

Beginning Balance	\$609.57
Receipts:	
WMU	\$4,315.22
Baptist Young Women	367.00
GAs	<u>1,782.06</u>
Total Receipts	<u>6,464.28</u>
Grand Total	<u>\$7,073.85</u>
Disbursements:	
WMU	\$3,417.21
Baptist Women	110.40
Baptist Young Women	545.36
Acteens	75.00
GAs	2,129.10
Mission Friends	<u>90.68</u>
Total Disbursements	<u>-6,367.75</u>
Bank Balance September 30, 1990	<u><u>706.10</u></u>
Love Gifts for Craige and Ellen Steele	\$1,040.00
Brazilian Receipts and Disbursements	808.00
Ruth Keller Scholarship Fund	4,715.02

YOUTH LEADERS FELLOWSHIP GROUP

Rev. Steve Crouse, Youth Ministry Director
Mount Zion Baptist Church

The purpose of the Youth Leaders Fellowship Group is to provide a setting for paid and volunteer ministers of youth, youth directors and other youth leaders in the churches of the associatiton to meet together for fellowship, dialogue, encouragement and mutual care. All leaders of youth are encouraged to participate.

The group began the year meeting on the second Thursday of each month at the Western Steer Steak House in Hudson. It was decided during the year that another meeting time might be better. So, the group decided to meet the second Thursday of each month at 8:30 a.m. at the Shoney's Restaurant in Lenoir.

Associational Staff

ASSOCIATIONAL PERSONNEL
(Paid Employees)

Professional Staff

Director of Missions: Rev. R. Dale Fisher (Mount Zion Baptist Church)
P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4081/754-2884)
Church Developmental Director: Rev. Daniel F. Lipp
P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4081/754-2884)

Administrative Staff

Administrative Assistant: Ann L. Hatton (Kings Creek Baptist Church)
P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4081/754-2884)
Financial Secretary: (vacant)

Service Staff

Custodian: Tommy Greene (Setzer's Creek Baptist Church)
P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, NC 28645 (758-4081/754-2884)
Summer Worker: (Employed as needed)

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Nelson's Chapel	Karen Ford
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Piney Grove	George Greene
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Rhodhiss FBC	Dennis Lewis
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Rocky Springs	Jim Hayes
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Piney Grove	Mrs. Vicki Decker 2125 Wendwood Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
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Setzer's Creek	Peggy Green Route 10, Box 229, Lenoir, NC 28645
Temple Hill	Mrs. Debbie Yount Route 1, Box 502, Granite Falls, NC 28630
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Whitnel FBC	Sylvia Smith 409 Hampton Heights, Lenoir, NC 28645
Yadkin	Mrs. Debbie Steele Route 5, Box 642, Lenoir, NC 28645

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Baton	Mrs. Marie Greer & Mrs. Sherry Cannon
Blairs Fork	Betty Hartley
Buffalo Cove	Mrs. Lena Bumgarner & Mrs. Josie Watson
Cajahs Mountain	Janet Smith
Calvary	Mrs. Teresa Brakefield & Mrs. Adene James
Cedar Rock	Miss Kristy Whisnant
Center Grove	Miss Denise Bumgardner
Central	Mr. Melvin Hines & Mrs. Karen Hamby
Clarks Chapel	Mrs. Vivian Brown & Mrs. Marsha Marshall
Clearview	Dianne West
Clover	Miss Sara Moore & Mrs. Ruth Carpenter
College Avenue	Gale C. Little & Jana Wike
Concord	Mrs. Becky Curtis & Dawn Bean
Conways Chapel	Mrs. Linda Crump
Crest View	Mrs. Sybil Watson & Mrs. Gail Austin
Dry Ponds	Revonda Annas & Kathy Ramsey
Dudley Shoals	Konna Reid & Lois Whisnant
Fellowship	Mrs. Celeste Cloer & Mrs. Marlene Sullivan
Flemings Chapel	Mrs. Beulah Reichard & Mrs. Dee Taylor
Friendship	Brenda Roper & Carolyn Weaver
Grandin	Lisa Eller
Grandview Park	Mrs. Bill Crump

Granite Falls FBC	Miss Ella Wilkey
Green Valley	Mrs. Sandra C. Coffey
Harris Chapel	Michael Smith & Elaine Tolbert
Harrisburg	Mrs. Ron Burgett & Mrs. Vicki Campbell
Hartland	Ruth Perry & Gwyn Warren
Hibriten	Mrs. Marie Dula & Mrs. Ruth Marley
Hudson FBC	Michael Riggs & Miss Sherry Austin
Kings Creek	Mrs. Dorcas Hedrick & Mrs. Connie Parsons
Lakeview	Mrs. Diane Farthing & Mrs. Winifred Setzer
Lenoir FBC	Mrs. F.L. Smith, III
Livingston Memorial	Mrs. Reba Walsh
Lower Creek	Elaine Blackburn & Kathy Johnson
Meadowbrook	Mrs. Pat Enloe & Sharon Bryant
Miller Hill	Janet Lawrence & Yvonne Teague
Mountain Grove	Margaret Scronce & Jean Shenton
Mountain View	Beth Arnett
Mt. Carmel	Mrs. Sue Bumgarner
Mt. Zion	Jeff Carter & Mrs. Phil Turnmire
Mulberry	Collene Triplett & Angela Todd
Mulvale	Judy Melton & Lorraine Key
Nelsons Chapel	Winnie Miller & Karen Ford
North Catawba	Mrs. Merle Chapman & Miss Lisa Chapman
Oak Grove	Juanita Dobbs & David Richards
Open Door Mission	Betty Hatton
Piney Grove	Mrs. Louise Greene & Mrs. Virginia Roberson
Poovey's Chapel	Corinne Hatley & Betty Sue Justice
Poovey's Grove	Myra Mercer
Rhodhiss FBC	Susan Wilson
Rocky Springs	Mrs. Betty Bain & Mrs. Dawn Barrett
Rufus	Miss Amy Bradshaw
Setzers Creek	JoAnn Nichols & Anita M. Haas
Sunrise	Millie Bowman & Pattie Greene
Temple Hill	Linda Reid
Union	Sandra Coffey & Pat Hollar
Union Grove	Mrs. Annie Hall & Mrs. Jane Bean
West Lenoir	Mrs. Hilda Cook & Mrs. Elizabeth Triplett
Whitnel FBC	Betty Hall & Linda Walker
Yadkin	Ms. Eulene Laws & Mrs. Shirley Storie
Yadkin Valley	Dawn R. Cheek
Zacks Fork	Joy Triplett & Revonda Deal

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Sunrise-V	Ava Crouch 179 Cedar Avenue, Hudson, NC 28638
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Whitnel FBC-P	Christine Walker Route 3, Box 307, Lenoir, NC 28645
Yadkin-P	Mrs. Nancy Isaacs 130 Hillwood Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645

Yadkin Valley-V	Jeanne Watson
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Cedar Rock	Gary Robbins
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Clover	Tim Kirby
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Hartland	Paul Burch
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Central-Youth	Kevin Tuttle
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Concord-Music/Youth	Terry Crouse
	37 Falls Avenue, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Crest View-Education/Youth	Rick Bene
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Dudley Shoals-Youth	Ms. Linda K. Story
	Route 1, Box 212, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Fellowship-Youth	Eddie Summerlin
	P.O. Box 1054, Hudson, NC 28638
Grandview Park-Youth	Gerald Rogers
	1425 14th Street, N.E., Hickory, NC 28601
Granite Falls FBC-Youth/Recreation	Patrick Benfield
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Harris Chapel-Music/Youth	Clyde Murray
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Hudson FBC-Associate Pastor/Youth	Michael Isaacs
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Hudson FBC-Music/Education	Donald Almond
	Route 1, Box 221-E, Hudson, NC 28638
Lenoir FBC-Youth	Thomas Hinton
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Livingston Memorial-Youth	Mrs. Anita Watson
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Lower Creek-Music/Youth/Recreation	Gilbert Blackburn
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Mountain Grove-Music/Education	Randy E. McCall
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Mt. Zion-Music/Youth	Steve Crouse
	Route 3, Box 258, Hudson, NC 28638
Nelsons Chapel-Youth	Karen G. Ford
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North Catawba-Music/Youth	Brooks Walker
	Route 3, Box 307, Lenoir, NC 28645
Piney Grove-Youth	Mrs. Lorraine Minton
	Route 5, Box 284, Lenoir, NC 28645
Poovey's Chapel	Carole Overbay
	225 Mountain View Circle, Lenoir, NC 28645

Rocky Springs-Music/Youth/Recreation	Mike Moore
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Temple Hill-Music/Youth	Jason Guyer
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Union Grove-Education/Youth	Neal Efird
	246 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Whitnel FBC-Education/Youth	Wayne Caviness
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Yadkin-Music/Education	Sherrill German
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Crest View	Raymond Austin
	127 Indian Hills Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Poovey’s Chapel	Clifton Coffey
	Route 1, Box 248, Hudson, NC 28638
Rufus	Ms. Mary N. Walker
	Route 10, Box 261, Lenoir, NC 28645

CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS
of the
CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED

CONSTITUTION

Preamble

This Constitution has been established to identify and preserve the fundamental truths and basic beliefs of this association.

Article I: Name

The Name of the corporation is the Caldwell Baptist Association, hereinafter referred to as “association.”

Article II: Duration

On October 22, 1885, sixteen churches met at the Rocky Springs Baptist Church to organize the Caldwell Baptist Association. The duration of this association is perpetual.

Article III: Location

Section 1. The member churches of this association are located in and adjacent to Caldwell County, North Carolina.

Section 2. The Caldwell Baptist Center, located at 208 Nu-Way Circle, Northeast, in Lenoir, North Carolina 28645, is recognized as the official headquarters of this association.

Article IV: Purpose

The purpose of this association is to assist member churches, individually and corporately, to enlarge and strengthen God's kingdom at home and around the world through evangelism and missions; and to encourage them to cooperate fully in the programs and ministries of this association, the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Article V: Membership

Section 1. COMPOSITION: The membership of the association is composed of cooperating Southern Baptist Churches which have been approved for membership by the association.

Section 2. ADMISSION: When seeking admission into the association, a church must present to the Membership Committee a typed letter of request for admission at least six months prior to the annual meeting of the association.

- A. After receiving a request for admission into the association the Membership Committee is to meet with leaders of the church to discuss their desire for membership, to explain the associational requirements for admission, to consider any of their church approved documents and location of their meetings, and to deal with any other matters that would help the committee make a decision about their request.
- B. At the next annual meeting, the Membership Committee is to share the request with the association and to make one of the following recommendations:
 - 1. That the church requesting admission be accepted under the watchcare of the association;
 - 2. That action on the request be delayed for further consideration at the next quarterly meeting of the association; or
 - 3. That the request for membership be denied.

The committee is to give clear reason for its recommendation concerning the status of watchcare. As soon as possible following the associational meeting, the committee is to communicate the action of the association with the church first in spoken words, and then by typed letter.

- C. Any church that is accepted under the watchcare of the association must remain in that status for at least one full year before being admitted into the membership of the association.
 - 1. Watchcare is a time of bonding between the association and the church seeking admission. The association is to carefully observe the faith, practice and cooperation of the church. The church under watchcare is to receive the same opportunities extended to member churches; however, members of churches under watchcare may not vote nor hold a position of leadership in the association.
 - 2. During the watchcare period, the church is expected to have an active part in the support of the work of the association, the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.
 - 3. The Membership Committee is to meet, as needed, with leaders of the

church, during the watchcare period to discuss their relationship with the association. Representatives of the committee are to visit during meetings of the church to observe the organization and practices of the church.

- D. Near the close of the watchcare period the committee is to evaluate the condition and cooperation of the church and to decide on one of the following recommendations to make to the association at the appropriate time concerning membership:
1. That the church requesting admission be accepted into full fellowship of the association;
 2. That action on the admission be delayed until the next quarterly meeting of the association; or
 3. That admission into the association be denied.

The committee is to give clear reason for its recommendation concerning membership. As soon as possible following the associational meeting, the committee is to communicate with the church the action of the association first in spoken words, and then by typed letter.

- E. A two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present is needed for the church to be accepted under watchcare or into full membership of the association.
- F. If a church is denied the status of watchcare or membership by the association, then after the lapse of one year it may submit another letter to the Membership Committee requesting admission.

Section 3. CONFLICT: If a member church is in conflict and requests help from the association, then the Membership Committee and/or the Director of Missions may meet with the church to counsel and work with them in an attempt to help resolve the problem(s).

Section 4. COOPERATION: Any member church which fails to cooperate with the association for two consecutive years is to be contacted by the Membership Committee to ascertain the wishes and desires of the church relative to its continuance in the association. After counsel with the church, the committee may choose to make a recommendation that the church be removed from the membership of the association. Such a recommendation would have to be made at a quarterly meeting of the association, and a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present would be needed for dismissal of the church from the association.

The committee is to give clear reason for its recommendation concerning action toward the member church. As soon as possible following the associational meeting, the committee is to send a letter to the church to communicate the action taken by the association.

A cooperating church is defined as one who sends an annual church letter to the associational clerk, is represented by duly elected messengers at quarterly associational meetings, contributes financially to the association, and is in general agreement with the purpose, basic beliefs, programs and ministries of the association.

The association recognizes that any affiliated church has the right to withdraw its fellowship from the association. It is requested that the report of such action by a church

be sent to the Membership Committee in an official letter from the church. Upon receipt of the letter, the Membership Committee is to discuss the action with leaders of the church. At the next quarterly meeting of the association, the committee is to inform the messengers of the church action. The association is to take one of the following actions:

- A. Accept the action of the church and immediately remove the church. The church is to be notified of the action by a letter from the association.
- B. Delay acceptance of the church action until the next quarterly meeting and instruct the Membership Committee to ask the church to reconsider its action.

Section 5. NOTIFICATION: The association is to immediately inform the North Carolina Baptist State Convention when a church is accepted under watchcare or membership. In addition, the convention is to be informed if a church is dismissed from the association as a member.

Article VI: Authority

Section 1. This association is an autonomous body which is governed only by the duly elected messengers from the churches that compose it. Every messenger has the right to vote on all matters of business presented at any quarterly or called meeting of the association provided that the messenger is present. Absentee voting is prohibited.

Section 2. This association may advise and assist member churches as requested, but may not infringe upon the rights of these churches. The association recognizes each church as a self-governing body that has voluntarily decided to be affiliated with the association.

Article VII: Relationships

Section 1. This association is composed of member churches that govern and support it.

Section 2. All internal groups created and empowered by the association are only accountable to the association.

Section 3. The association voluntarily cooperates with and supports the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Article VIII: Basic Beliefs

This association accepts the doctrinal statements of *The Baptist Faith and Message* as adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in 1963. A copy of *The Baptist Faith and Message* is available for study in the Media Library of the Caldwell Baptist Center.

Article IX: Dissolution

This Association may be dissolved by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present at any quarterly meeting of the association, provided that the recommendation to dissolve was presented in written or typed form to the clerk and publicly stated to the messengers by the moderator or his designee at the preceding quarterly meeting of the association. Typed copies of the recommendation are to be furnished to the messengers of the association for study at least two weeks prior to the vote on the recommendation. Upon vote to dissolve, the assets of the association will be dissolved by the Board of Directors upon instruction of the messengers.

Article X: Amendments

This Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present at any quarterly meeting of the association, provided that the amendment was presented in written or typed form to the clerk and publicly stated to the messengers by the moderator or his designee at the preceding quarterly meeting of the association. Typed copies of the amendment are to be furnished to the current messengers of the association for study at least two weeks prior to the vote on the amendment.

BYLAWS

Preamble

These Bylaws have been established to identify and preserve procedural matters of this association and to govern this body in an orderly manner.

Article I: Administrative Policies

Section 1. The associational staff is responsible for scheduling the use of the Baptist Center in Lenoir and the Caldwell Cottage at Ridgcrest.

Section 2. Money is to be contributed to the Gideons by the association for the purchase of memorial Bibles upon the death of a pastor, staff minister, associational leader, or the spouse of a pastor, staff minister or associational leader.

Section 3. The chairman of the Trustees Committee, the treasurer and the Director of Missions are authorized to have access to the association's safety deposit box located at the First Union National Bank on Main Street in Lenoir.

Article II: Associational Year

The Associational Year begins on October 1 and closes on September 30.

Article III: Finances

Section 1. The fiscal year of the Association begins on October 1 and closes on September 30.

Section 2. The Associational Budget for the upcoming year is to be formally presented by the Finance Committee for a vote by the messengers during the quarterly meeting of the association in July each year. In order to give the messengers adequate time to study the budget, the Finance Committee is to prepare and distribute copies of the budget to the messengers by the second Thursday of July each year. The budget becomes effective on October 1 annually. The Finance Committee is to maintain a budget format that corresponds with the organizational structure of the association.

Section 3. The treasurer is to present to the messengers a current financial report clearly showing all receipts and disbursements during each quarterly meeting of the association. During the quarterly meeting in October, an annual financial report is to be presented. The treasurer is to provide a monthly financial report in the associational newsletter including the contributions of each church in the association.

Section 4. The association maintains an ongoing "Ministers Support Fund" to temporarily assist associational pastors, staff ministers, retired ministers, other ministers and their immediate families during times of financial crises. The Finance Committee confidentially administers the fund, giving an annual report as to the number of ministers assisted and the amount of money given. The money for this fund comes from the portion of the State Missions Offering that the association receives.

Section 5. Each associational church is requested to contribute at least 4% of all undesignated receipts to the association.

Section 6. The association is a non-profit organization.

Article IV: Logos

Section 1. The association is to continually have a personalized logo that visually displays the identity and current work of this body.

Section 2. The association accepts and uses the logo of the Southern Baptist Convention to help identify who we are.

Article V: Meetings

Section 1. The messengers of the association meet quarterly to receive information and reports and to transact the business of the association. The meetings are held in October (Fall Meeting), January (Winter Meeting), April (Spring Meeting), and July (Summer Meeting). The meetings in January, April and July are night meetings which are held on the fourth Thursday of each month. The meeting in October is considered the Annual Meeting of the association and is conducted on the fourth Thursday and Friday of October.

The first session of the Annual Meeting is held on Thursday night. The second session is conducted on Friday morning and the third (final) session is held on Friday afternoon. The annual meeting is to be held in one church on Thursday and in another church on Friday. The association is responsible for providing lunch for the messengers on Friday. The association has the option of charging for the meal on a cost recovery basis, or may pay for the meal out of the associational budget.

Section 2. The Associational Meetings Committee is fully responsible for preparing the program, selecting and contacting program participants, and for choosing and preparing the location for each meeting. The location for each quarterly meeting is to be presented in the annual "Calendar of Activities" for the forthcoming year. The committee may ask the associational messengers to move a quarterly meeting to a date one week prior to or one week after a scheduled meeting date to avoid conflict with a major denominational emphasis date. The meetings are to be held in as many member churches as practically possible on a rotating basis.

Section 3. The Moderator or the Director of Missions can call the messengers together for special meetings to deal with extremely urgent matters that cannot wait until the next quarterly meeting. Before calling a special meeting to order, a notice of at least two weeks is to be given to the messengers with a clear explanation as to the purpose of the meeting. A quorum of fifty messengers must be present to conduct a special meeting.

Section 4. The Moderator may postpone and reschedule quarterly or called meetings of the associational messengers, in cooperation with the Director of Missions and the Associational Meetings Committee Chairman, in the event of inclement weather or other unforeseen crises.

Section 5. A quorum at each of the quarterly meetings of the association consists of those messengers who attend each meeting.

Section 6. *Robert's Rules of Order, Revised*, is the the authority for parliamentary rules of procedure for all business meetings of the association.

Section 7. Visitors attending a quarterly or called meeting of the association may, by approval of the body, participate in debate without the privilege to vote. Visitors are welcome to attend the meetings of the association.

Article VI: Organization and Leadership

Section 1. The association is organized into six levels of operation: Governing, Personnel, Coordinating, Administrative Services, Mission Performance Programs and Fellowship Groups.

A. GOVERNING

1. The ASSOCIATION-IN-SESSION consists of the duly elected messengers by member churches and seated by vote of the messengers in attendance at each quarterly or called meeting of the association.
2. Churches of fifty (50) members or less are entitled to five (5) messengers. One (1) additional messenger is allowed for each additional fifty (50) church members or major fraction thereof provided no church has more than ten (10) messengers.
3. Churches are to elect their messengers before October each year so that the messengers can serve the full associational year from October 1 through September 30. Messengers can serve consecutive years but must be elected annually by their church. Messengers are expected to attend all of the quarterly and called meetings of the association. The name, address, and telephone number of each messenger should be delivered by the church clerk to the associational clerk no later than October 7 each year to facilitate advance registration. This information can accompany the annual church letter.
4. The functions of the messengers are to receive current information and reports about the work of the association and groups with which it is related; transact the business of the association; and report on the meetings and activities of the association to the churches.
5. A person serving as a messenger from a church must be a member in good standing of that church.

B. PERSONNEL

1. Positions:
 - a. The *Director of Missions* is the general leader of the association serving as the director of directors of all programs, ministries, and services of the association. In addition, the Director of Missions leads the association to explore new mission frontiers, and serves as a minister to the churches and church leaders.

The Director of Missions is the chief executive officer of the association, the registered agent of the corporation (association), and is an ex-officio member of all associational committees, councils, and groups. The Director serves as director of the Associational Council.

Election to this office is upon recommendation of the Director of Missions Search Committee and by two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association. The time of service is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the Director of Missions or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers at any

quarterly meeting of the association upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- b. The *Church Development Director* serves the association as the administrative leader and church consultant in the development of the programs of Brotherhood, Discipleship Training, Family Ministry, Media Library, Music Ministry, Recreation, Stewardship, Sunday School and Woman's Missionary Union. The person is to provide responsible leadership through planning, correlating, implementing and evaluating these assigned programs in cooperation with associational leadership. Training opportunities, counsel, and encouragement are to be offered for associational and church leaders as needed or requested. Other responsibilities include developing the Baptist Center Media Library in cooperation with the associational Librarian and Media Library Council, serving as editor of the Caldwell Baptist Caller, and working in other associational capacities as deemed necessary by the Director of Missions.

Election to this office is upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee and by two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association. The time of service is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the Church Development Director or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- c. The *Administrative Assistant* serves primarily in a secretarial role. However, this individual assists the Director of Missions with daily administrative matters of the association. In addition, the person supervises the general operation of the Baptist Center by answering the telephone, greeting visitors and helping to meet their needs. The Administrative Assistant supervises office help along with the Director of Missions. This person also serves as the Associational Clerk and as secretary of the Associational Council.

The Administrative Assistant is enlisted and recommended to the association by the Personnel Committee. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment.

The time of service for the Administrative Assistant is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the employee or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- d. The *Financial Secretary* serves as assistant to the Treasurer and helps the Administrative Assistant with office responsibilities. It is a part-time position.

The Financial Secretary is enlisted and recommended to the association by the Personnel Committee. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment.

The time of service for the Financial Secretary is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the employee or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- e. A *Summer Worker* is to be hired as needed for approximately ten

weeks of work. This person, normally a student, does special projects as assigned by the Director of Missions or his designee.

The summer worker is enlisted and recommended to the association by the Personnel Committee. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment. The association may hire more than one summer worker per year, if needed and money is available.

- f. *Custodial Services* are provided by one or more persons in order to keep the associational properties in a clean and acceptable condition. The person(s) to provide custodial services is/are jointly recommended by the Personnel and Properties Committees to the association. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment. The Properties Committee supervises the custodial services personnel.

The Properties Committee may hire temporary custodial services personnel without the approval of the Personnel Committee or the association; however, the chairman of the Personnel Committee is to be informed of such action.

The time of service for the ongoing custodian(s) is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel and Properties Committees by the employee or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers upon a joint recommendation of the Personnel and Properties Committees.

2. General:

- a. Each paid employee is to be provided by the Personnel Committee with an up-to-date job description of his responsibilities.
- b. The Director of Missions is the general supervisor of all paid employees of the association. However, the Director is to work closely with the committees and leaders who share supervision.
- c. The Personnel Committee cannot recommend the Director of Missions, the Church Development Director, the Administrative Assistant, the Financial Secretary, or the custodian to the association for termination of duties without proper notice and a clear explanation of such action given to the individual prior to the associational meeting at which time the recommendation for dismissal is to be made.

A closing financial arrangement is to be provided for an employee who has been dismissed by the association. The Personnel Committee is to determine a fair closing financial arrangement and to make it a part of the recommendation for dismissal to the association.

The Summer Worker and other temporary employees may be dismissed with clear explanation by the Personnel Committee without approval by the association. No closing financial arrangement is necessary.

C. COORDINATING

1. This level of operation is made up of the Administrative Services Council, the Associational Council and the Fellowship Council. The purpose of

these councils is to coordinate the overall work of the association. The Associational Council serves as the primary coordinating council.

2. Coordinating Councils:

- a. The Administrative Services Council consists of the Administrative Services Committees Chairmen. The council meets only as needed to coordinate the overall work of the committees. The council director represents the committees as a member of the Associational Council.
- b. The Associational Council consists of the Mission Performance Programs Directors, the Administrative Services Council Director, the Fellowship Council Director, the Director of Missions, the Church Development Director and the Administrative Assistant. The Director of Missions serves as the Council Director and the Administrative Assistant serves as secretary. The purpose of the council is to coordinate the overall program and calendar of the association. The council meets only as needed.
- c. The Fellowship Council consists of the head leaders of the associational fellowship groups. The council meets only as needed to discuss fellowship needs and to coordinate the activities of the fellowship groups. The council director represents the fellowship groups as a member of the Associational Council.

D. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

1. This level of operation is made up of the committees, the Board of Directors, and officers of the association. Their purpose is to carry out assigned work in order to help the association operate smoothly. There are eleven committees, the Board of Directors and five officers.
2. Committees:
 - a. The *Associational Meetings Committee* is responsible for planning and conducting the regular and called meetings of the associational messengers. The duties of this committee are to: (1) propose an order of business for each meeting of the associational messengers; (2) enlist all program personnel for the associational meetings; (3) publicize the order of business to the churches in advance of the meeting; (4) arrange for the facilities needed for each meeting; (5) arrange for and conduct proper registration of messengers and visitors at each meeting and to report registration as requested; and (6) recommend future meeting places to the associational messengers in the annual "Calendar of Activities" for the forthcoming year; the committee may ask the associational messengers to move a quarterly meeting to a date one week prior to or one week after a scheduled meeting date to avoid conflict with a major denominational emphasis date. The committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

- b. The *Communications Committee* is responsible for communicating the programs, ministries, resolutions and services of the association to the churches and to the general public. Its duties are to: (1) develop and implement an annual Associational Emphasis Week promotion plan; (2) assist, as needed, with office-produced communications, such as: *The Book of Reports* and the *Annual Minutes*; (3) receive, review and recommend all proposed resolutions or public statements; (4) initiate resolutions or statements as needed; (5) develop promotional brochures or other literature that identifies the work of the association, and (6) assist, as requested by the association or associational leaders, in promoting or reporting the work and actions of the association through the secular media. The Communications Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
- c. The *External Relations Committee* is responsible for establishing and maintaining proper relationships with groups outside the association. Its duties are to: (1) serve through individual representatives as a channel of communication between the association and the various agencies, boards, foundations, and other groups affiliated with the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention, and (2) communicate and work, as needed, with non-Baptist groups.

The *External Relations Committee* consists of three members, each elected for a three year term with the terms rotating, so that only one member is elected each year. Membership also includes the associational representatives of the American Bible Society, Annuity Board, Baptist Foundation, Christian Education, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, State Missions, N.C. Baptist Children's Homes, N.C. Baptist Hospital, N.C. Baptist Retirement Homes, and Religious Literature/Biblical Recorder. These representatives are elected for three-year terms and are eligible for reelection for another term at the end of three years.

- d. The *Finance Committee* assists the association in securing, administering and reporting its finances. Its duties are to: (1) develop and recommend an overall financial development plan; (2) develop and recommend an associational budget based on the plans of the association's various programs and ministries; (3) plan and direct the effort to seek giving commitments from the churches; (4) conduct studies and make recommendations concerning proposed expenditures not included in the budget; (5) review expenditures periodically in terms of budget allocations and recommend budget adjustments if needed; (6) develop and recommend financial policies and procedures, including provisions for auditing; and (7) administer the associational "Minister's Support Fund."

The Finance Committee consists of six elected members, each elected for a three-year term with terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year. The Finance Committee chairman serves on the Associational Council.

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- e. The *History Committee* is to gather, preserve, and interpret historical records of the association's life and work. Its duties are to: (1) work with the associational clerk in gathering and preserving past associational records; (2) assist in the recording of present-day activities; (3) communicate and interpret the heritage of the association to associational leaders and member churches; (4) use historical facts and documents to challenge the association to accomplish its mission; (5) develop and recommend to the association policies and procedures regarding its historical materials; (6) encourage churches to gather and preserve their historical records and to write, communicate, and interpret their history. The History Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
 - f. The *Membership Committee* is to assist the association in determining when churches are of like faith and order and can be properly accepted into the association according to the provisions made in the Constitution of the association. Also, this committee serves as a "church conflict" advisory body. In addition, this committee encourages active participation by inactive churches in the association. The duties are to: (1) recommend and implement approved guidelines as needed for receiving churches into the association and for dealing with troubled member or inactive churches in the association; (2) counsel with churches seeking admission into the association and with troubled or inactive member churches; (3) examine the credentials of churches seeking admission into the association (namely, their articles of faith or doctrinal positions, church covenant, polity—including their constitution and bylaws—and relationship to the denomination. The Membership Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
 - g. The *Nominating Committee* leads in coordinating the selection of all association-elected leaders except paid personnel. Its duties are to: (1) select, interview, enlist, and recommend general associational officers, mission performance program directors, and committee chairmen and members; (2) coordinate the selection of workers for all the association's organizations and committees; (3) approve workers before they are invited to work in program organizations; (4) distribute associational leadership according to priority needs; (5) assist associational program leaders in discovering and enlisting qualified persons to fill positions in their respective organizations; (6) present workers to the association; (7) nominate special committees as assigned by the association.

The Nominating Committee consists of six members, one from each of the six associational districts, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year. The committee should give careful consideration that all nominees are selected fairly from all six districts of the association, and from all pastors, staff members, men and women of the churches. Each nominee must be a member in good standing in an associational church.

LEADERSHIP SELECTION

- (1) All Mission Performance Program directors are to be formally presented by the Nominating Committee for vote by the messengers at the January meeting of the association. In order to give the messengers adequate time to consider the nominees for program directors, the Nominating Committee is to prepare a complete list of the names and positions and have copies distributed to the messengers by the second Thursday in January.

The individuals approved at the January meeting of the association immediately become the program directors-elect until October when their tenure of service officially begins. The program directors-elect are approved to plan and to train for the upcoming year's work. Each program director-elect, unless the individual is the current program director, has no authority over the current year's program. The program directors-elect would meet with the Associational Council only upon request; however, each program director-elect is expected to participate in annual calendar planning meetings.

- (2) Each program director-elect is to immediately start selecting individuals to serve on the respective program councils for the upcoming year. A complete list of the individuals selected to serve is to be presented to the Nominating Committee by March 31, by each program director-elect.
- (3) All officers, committee members, and all previously unelected program council members are to be formally presented by the Nominating Committee for vote by the messengers at the April meeting of the association. In order to give the messengers adequate time to consider the nominees, the Nominating Committee is to prepare a complete list of the names and positions and have copies distributed to the messengers by the second Thursday of April.

The individuals approved at the April meeting of the association are the leaders "elect" until October 1 when their tenure of service officially begins. Each leader has the privilege to plan and to train as necessary for the upcoming year. The leaders "elect" have no authority over the current year's work, except in a position currently held.

- (4) If vacancies occur during the year the Nominating Committee is to enlist a person to fill each vacated position and to recommend the person to the association. The committee is to work with program directors and committee chairmen as needed in filling each vacancy.

- h. The *Personnel Committee* is responsible for all paid employees of the association. Its duties are to: (1) recommend policies and procedures

for the selection, supervision, and termination of associational personnel; (2) maintain up-to-date job descriptions in a manual for every paid position in the association; (3) recruit, interview, and recommend to the association new personnel, excluding the Director of Missions, in full cooperation with the appropriate supervisor; (4) develop and recommend salaries and benefits for employed personnel; (5) develop and recommend to the association policies and procedures regarding continuing education and development for the Director of Missions and other paid personnel. The Personnel Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

- i. The *Properties Committee* assists the association in the administration of all properties in Buncombe and Caldwell Counties. Its duties are to: (1) inspect and keep inventory of all associational properties; (2) make recommendations to the Personnel Committee regarding the employment, training, and supervision of maintenance personnel; (3) develop and initiate scheduled cleaning procedures; (4) develop and recommend a program of preventive maintenance; (5) develop and recommend policies and procedures for using facilities and equipment; (6) request and administer maintenance, furniture, and equipment budget; (7) develop and, with the trustees, recommend an adequate insurance plan for the properties. The Properties Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

This committee can spend up to \$500.00 on one item without approval of the association. Items above that amount must have associational approval.

- j. The *Search Committee* is designed to serve only as needed to secure a Director of Missions. Its duties are to: (1) meet as a committee for the first time within a month following election by the association; (2) choose from within the committee a chairman, vice-chairman and secretary during the first meeting; (3) study and follow carefully the Job Description for the Director of Missions; (4) seek comments and suggestions from the association concerning the expectations of the next Director of Missions; (5) report regularly to the association on progress being made; (6) develop a list of prospects for the position; (7) narrow the list of candidates, thoroughly researching qualifications and references; (8) interview and observe most favorable candidate(s) in different settings; (9) unanimously present choice candidate to the association for approval; (10) assist newly elected Director of Missions during transition period; and (11) inform all other candidates by letter, as necessary, of the decision of the association, expressing appreciation to each person for their time and cooperation. The committee will consist of one pastor, one layman, one laywoman (all named by the Nominating Committee), plus the Moderator and Chairman of the Personnel Committee.
- k. The *Strategy Committee* assists the association in determining its strategic objectives and in staying on course in achieving them. Its duties are to: (1) monitor the needs and opportunities of the churches

and provide updated information to the churches and to the associational programs annually; (2) recommend modifications in the organizational structure to help fulfill associational objectives; (3) review the association's constitution and bylaws and recommend modifications as needed; (4) maintain up-to-date job descriptions in a manual for every volunteer position in the association excluding paid workers; (5) lead the association to conduct strategy planning about every five years.

This committee works very closely with the Associational Council. The Strategy Committee Chairman is an active member of the Associational Council. The Strategy Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

3. Board of Directors:

- a. The *Board of Directors* acts as the legal agent of the association. Its duties are to: (1) serve as legal representative of the association; (2) act as directed by the associational messengers in handling legal matters; (3) oversee the total insurance plan of the association; (4) hold in trust any property, money, endowment or other securities of the association; (5) exercise the power, under the instruction of the associational messengers, to hold, buy, sell and convey property, both real and personal, and to sign all papers necessary for the purchase or conveyance; and to (6) act in behalf of the associational messengers, under unusual and extreme circumstances, giving a full report to the messengers as soon as possible to explain action taken.

The Board of Directors consists of eleven members. Serving are the five officers of the association, plus six other members, one from each of the six associational districts. The six associational district members are each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year. The Moderator serves as the presiding officer of the board. The Board of Directors meets annually in October and other times as necessary.

b. Officers:

- (1) The *Moderator*, also known as President, presides over the quarterly and called meetings of the associational messengers. As the presiding officer, the Moderator (1) opens the meetings punctually at the appointed time, enforces the rules, preserves the order, and exercises all the prerogatives of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parliamentary usage (*Roberts Rules of Order, Revised*; (2) appoints a parliamentarian, if desired, to serve at any or all meetings of the associational messengers during his term of office; the person appointed must be approved by the messengers-in-session; (3) serves as an ex-officio member of all committees, councils and groups of the association; (4) calls the associational messengers together for special meetings to deal with extremely urgent matters that cannot wait until the next quarterly meeting

(Before calling a special meeting to order, a notice of at least two weeks is to be given to the associational messengers with a clear explanation as to the purpose of the meeting. A quorum of fifty associational messengers must be present to conduct a special meeting.); (5) postpones and reschedules quarterly or called meetings of the associational messengers, in cooperation with the Director of Missions and the Associational Meetings Committee Chairman, in the event of inclement weather or other unforeseen crises; (6) serves as a member of the Director of Missions Search Committee. The Moderator is elected for a one-year term and is eligible for election to a second consecutive term; however, after serving for two consecutive years, the individual could not be considered for Moderator for at least one year.

- (2) It is the duty of the *Vice-Moderator*, also known as Vice-President, to discharge the duties of the Moderator in the absence or at the request of the Moderator. The Vice-Moderator is elected for a one-year term, and is eligible to a second consecutive term. However, after serving for two consecutive years, the individual could not be considered for Vice-Moderator for a least one year.
- (3) The *Clerk*, also known as Secretary, records and keeps in permanent form all transactions of the association and makes this information available upon request. The Clerk's duties are to: (1) serve as recorder during the meetings of the association; (2) secure from the churches the annual Uniform Church Letter and process it according to recommended procedures; (3) edit the associational annual minutes; (4) work with the History Committee to preserve the official records of the association; (5) train and assist church clerks. The Administrative Assistant serves as the Clerk of the association.
- (4) The *Treasurer* receives all of the funds contributed to the association and disburses them in accordance with the budget of the association or for which the funds were contributed. The Treasurer's duties are to: (1) serve as an ex-officio member of the Finance Committee; (2) work with the Finance Committee to recommend and establish fiscal policies; (3) maintain proper records of all monies received and disbursed; (4) provide printed quarterly and annual reports to the association of all receipts and disbursements. The Treasurer is elected annually and can succeed himself. The chairman of the Finance Committee is authorized to fulfill the duties of the treasurer in the event the treasurer is unable to do so.
- (5) The *Director of Missions* is the chief executive officer of the association, also serving as the registered agent.

E. MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAMS

1. The work of the Mission Performance Programs of the association is carried out through councils. Each council member has definite responsibilities and the number of members on each council is determined by need. Council members are elected annually. The general director of each council serves as an ex-officio member of the Associational Council. Each council has meetings according to need. Each council consists of a program director and other leaders as needed to conduct the program.
2. Councils:
 - a. The *Brotherhood Council* assists churches in educating and involving men and boys in missions.
 - b. The *Christian Life Council* informs the churches of critical moral and social issues and leads in Christian action to meet those needs. The council seeks to develop good Christian citizenship and healthy human relations.
 - c. The *Discipleship Training Council* assists the churches in starting, improving and expanding Christian discipleship through their Discipleship Training programs.
 - d. The *Evangelism Council* assists churches in reaching people for Christ through evangelistic training and by bringing the churches together in corporate efforts of evangelism.
 - e. The *Family Ministry Council* assists churches in developing family ministry programs. Special emphasis is placed on ministry activities for preschoolers, children, youth, adults and students. Training opportunities are provided for general leaders of these age groups.
 - f. The *Media/Library Council* assists churches in the establishment, development and improvement of church media library services. In addition, the council is responsible for organizing and operating the associational Media Library in the Baptist Center.
 - g. The *Missions Development Council* leads the churches to discover opportunities for associational, state, home and foreign missions and to assist the churches in doing mission projects individually and corporately. The council works closely with the Brotherhood, Sunday School and WMU Councils.
 - h. The *Music Ministry Council* assists churches through establishing, conducting, enlarging and improving their music ministries.
 - i. The *Pastoral Ministries Council* assists the churches in the development of pastoral ministries, deacon ministry, vocational guidance and church administrative services. In addition, the council ministers to the distinctive needs of pastors, deacons, church staff persons, church councils, church officers and committee members and church vocation volunteers. This council is responsible for interviewing candidates for ordination to the "Gospel Ministry" as requested by the churches.

- j. The *Prayer Council* is responsible for promoting prayer in the churches, providing opportunities for prayer among the churches, and offering conferences and seminars on prayer.
- k. The *Recreation Council* assists churches in providing recreation methods, materials, services, and experiences and is available to other associational organizations wishing to use recreation in accomplishing their particular tasks.
- l. The *Seminary Extension Council* promotes and provides practical and theological education to ministers and laypersons on basic and college levels.
- m. The *Stewardship Council* assists the churches in the development of individual and corporate stewardship.
- n. The *Sunday School Council* assists and challenges churches to improve and enlarge all areas of their Sunday School through planning, training, administration activities, consultation, program interpretation, and cooperative projects.
- o. The *Woman's Missionary Union Council* assists churches in promoting missions and in establishing, enlarging, and strengthening W.M.U. work.

F. FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

1. The purpose of the Fellowship Groups is to provide a setting for particular groups to meet together for fellowship, dialogue, encouragement and mutual care. Hopefully, as the individual groups meet together the fellowship of the whole association can be strengthened. The head leader of each fellowship group is an ex-officio member of the Associational Council. Each group determines its own leadership and activities.
2. Groups:
 - a. The *Church Secretaries' Fellowship Group* includes all Caldwell Baptist church and denominational secretaries.
 - b. The *Ministers' Conference Fellowship Group* includes all pastors, bivocational pastors, church staff ministers, other ministers and retired ministers in the association.
 - c. The *Ministers Wives' Fellowship Group* includes all the wives of active, deceased, or retired ministers in the association.
 - d. The *Music Leaders' Fellowship Group* includes all paid and volunteer ministers of music, directors of music, organists, pianists, and other music leadership in the churches and the association. This group cooperates with the Music Ministry Council of the association.
 - e. The *Retired Ministers' Fellowship Group* includes all retired Southern Baptist ministers and their spouses living in the associational area.
 - f. The *Youth Leaders' Fellowship Group* consists of all paid and volunteer ministers of youth, youth directors and other youth leaders in the churches of the association. The Associational Youth Director of the Family Ministry Council serves as a member of this group.

Section 2. Every committee, council or fellowship group has the authority to appoint temporary sub-groups to carry out specific assignments as needed. The sub-group ceases to exist at the completion of the assignment. Permanent, but not temporary, sub-groups must be suggested to and approved by the Nominating Committee and then by the messengers of the association.

Section 3. Every associational committee and council is to choose a secretary to record the proceedings of each meeting.

Section 4. Associational leaders and representatives are responsible for presenting written and/or verbal reports to the association as requested.

Section 5. An up-to-date "Organizational Chart" is to be maintained to visibly reveal the overall associational operation.

Section 6. A "Job Descriptions Manual" is to be maintained by the Personnel and Strategy Committees to provide current and thorough descriptions for each paid and volunteer position in the association.

Section 7. Each ex-officio member serving on a council, committee or group is entitled to full voting rights.

Section 8. The General Board members of the Baptist State Convention from the Caldwell Association are to represent the association to the State Convention and vice-versa. The Board members are encouraged to report to the association about Board actions.

Article VII: Printed Material

Section 1. A monthly newsletter known as the "Caldwell Baptist Caller" is published to communicate information about the work of and matters of interest to the association.

Section 2. The *Annual Minutes* are prepared to serve as a record of information about the association.

Section 3. An "Associational Directory" is prepared annually and updated quarterly to provide information on who are associational leaders, church leaders, and other persons of interest to the association and how to contact them.

Section 4. A "Calendar of Activities" is prepared annually to inform the churches of upcoming events in or related to the association.

Section 5. Reports to the association and promotional pieces about the work of the association are printed as needed.

Section 6. Each member church is expected to prepare and deliver to the associational clerk the annual "Uniform Church Letter" by October 7 each year.

Article VIII: Amendments

These Bylaws may be amended by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present at any quarterly meeting of the association provided that the amendment was presented in written or typed form to the clerk and publicly stated to the messengers by the moderator or his designee at the preceeding quarterly meeting of the association. Typed copies of the amendment are to be furnished to the current messengers of the association for study at least two weeks prior to a vote on the amendment.

Constitution and Bylaws
Caldwell Baptist Association

Amended: January 25, 1990
(Clerk's Report, Winter Quarterly Meeting Proceedings, No. 8c)

Amended: October 26, 1990
(Clerk's Report, Annual Meeting — Second Session Proceedings, No. 12)

1989-90 GENERAL BOARD MEMBERS
Baptist State Convention of North Carolina
from
Caldwell Baptist Association

Dr. Billy G. Rivers
109 Optimist Avenue, CB-59-2
Hudson, North Carolina 28638
Phone: 728-4297

Dr. Robert B. Evans, Jr.
47 Crestview Street
Granite Falls, NC 28630
Phone: 396-1922

MISSIONARIES FROM THE CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

AFRICA:

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ford, 4317 Sunset Road, Charlotte, NC 28227 — March 17 - November 1 (Union Grove Church) Birthdays 10/11 & 6/2

Rev. & Mrs. Tom Small, P. O. Box HG-621-Highlands, Harare, Zimbabwe, West Africa (Hudson FBC) Birthdays 5/12 & 5/5

Miss Stella Austin, retired, 1052-6 Cedar Hills Apt., Lenoir, NC 28645 Tel. 758-7604 (Kings Creek Church) Birthday 6/5

BRAZIL:

Mrs. Hilda Cowsert, RUA Uruguai 514 App. 203, 20510, Rio de Janeiro RJ, Brazil, S.A. (Concord Church) Birthday 10/14

Rev. & Mrs. J. Guy Key, La Igreja Batista de Santos, Praca Jose Bonifacio 11-Centro, 11100 Santos, SP, Brazil, SA (Mrs. Key is Hilda Cowsert's daughter)

Rev. & Mrs. Craig Steele, Caixa Postal, 18.741, 04.699 Sao Paulo, SP Brazil (Lower Creek Church) Birthdays 2/11 & 9/24

Rev. & Mrs. Wayne Sorrels, Route 1, Box 406, Sylva, NC 28779, Phone: 704-685-5784 (Flemings Chapel Church) Birthdays 12/3 & 12/7

ECUADOR:

Rev. & Mrs. Dennis Herman, Casilla 4724, Quito, Ecuador, SA (Union Grove Church) Birthdays 10/4 & 12/20

PHILIPPINES:

Mrs. Lin (Faye Turnmire) Fincannon, 756 Oakland Dr., Elkin, NC 28621, Tel. (919) 835-3381, Birthday 4/11

Rev. & Mrs. Wayne Pennell, P. O. Box 183, Butuan City, Philippines (Whitnel FBC) Birthdays 3/23 & 7/10

GAZA (Journeyman):

Mrs. David (Carolyn Hart) Sizemore, RN served in Israel, home address: 2600 Lake Street, Hemet, Calif., 92343 (Lower Creek Church) Birthday 3/6

JORDAN:

Rev. & Mrs. Roger Wall, c/o Mr. Graydon Hardister, P.O. Box 17147, Amman, Jordan (Mt. Carmel Church) Birthdays 12/15 & 11/3

SERVING IN ANOTHER STATE:

Miss Maxine Bumgarner, WMU Director of West Virginia, 801 Sixth Ave., St. Albans, West Virginia 25177 (Temple Hill Church) Birthday 10/28

HOME MISSION BOARD:

Miss Ella Keller, retired, 41 Crestview Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630, Tel. 396-4330 (Granite Falls FBC) Birthday 7/7

Mrs. George R. (Christine Hastings) Braidwood, P.O. Box 1319, Port-Au-Prince, Haiti (Calvary Church) Birthday 6/20

Miss Judy Bailey, P.O. Box 754, Wilson, Wyoming 83014, teaches and works with missionaries there (North Catawba Church) Birthday 1/25

DIRECTORS OF MISSIONS:

Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Caldwell Baptist Association, P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, NC 28645, Tel. 758-4081 (Mt. Zion Church) Birthday 4/4

Miss Elizabeth J. Campbell, retired, 516 Main Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645, Tel. 754-9050 (FBC Lenoir) Birthday 1/22

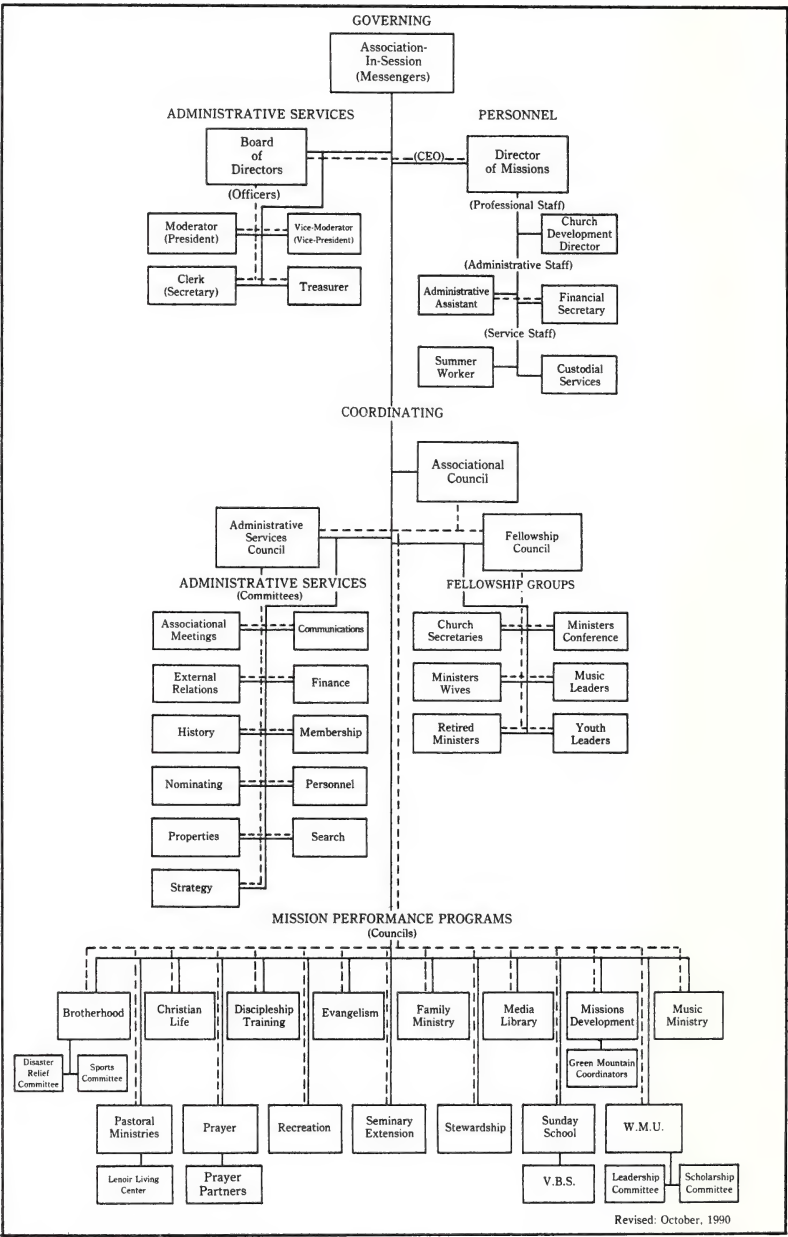
Rev. Jake Phillips, retired, Covington Association, Andalusia, Alabama

Rev. J.W. Myers, retired, Route 3, Box 350, Granite Falls, NC 28630, served the Cheoh and Tennessee River Association (Oak Grove Church)

Rev. Worth Braswell, deceased. Wife — Mrs. Lena Braswell, Route 1, Box 66-A, Hudson, NC 28638 (Hudson FBC)

Mrs. J.D. (Ruth Keller) Craig, served Caldwell Association 3 years. 42 Link Drive, Granite Falls, NC 28630

ORGANIZATIONAL CHART
of the
CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INC.



OTHER MINISTERS

Ministers Licensed 1989-90

Bethany	Paul Dula Hwy. 321, Lenoir, NC 28645
Harris Chapel	Clyde Murray Route 2, Box 393, Hudson, NC 28638
Mountain Grove	David Keever P.O. Box 201, Hudson, NC 28638
North Catawba	Michael Barnwell 242 Mountain View Circle, Lenoir, NC 28645
Temple Hill	Joe Helton Box 2A, Helton Circle Drive, Granite Falls, NC 28630 Richard Hayes 1828 18th Street, N.E., Hickory, NC 28601 Jeff Dula 121 Woolane Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630

Ministers Ordained 1989-90

Calvary	Reic James P.O. Box 5606, Lenoir, NC 28645
Harris Chapel	Clyde Murray Route 2, Box 393, Hudson, NC 28638
Harrisburg	Ronald Burgett 2403 Maywood Street, Lenoir, NC 28645
Livingston Memorial	Joe Angle Route 1, Box 305, Boomer, NC 28606
Lower Creek	Gilbert Blackburn 236 Tremont Park Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Mountain Grove	Jerry Bentley 2600 Dry Ponds Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630 Billy Robbins 203 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Temple Hill	Jason Guyer Route 1, Box 561, Granite Falls, NC 28630

Other Ordained Ministers in the Churches

Calvary	Rev. Jim Price P. O. Box 5611, Lenoir, NC 28645
Cedar Rock	Rev. Melvin Maltba Rev. Raymond Correll
Clarks Chapel	Rev. Harold Beane P. O. Box 261, Hudson, NC 28638
Concord	Rev. Don Abernathy P. O. Box 1121, Icard, NC 28666

Concord	Rev. Keith Starnes 402 Dudley Shoals Road, Granite Falls, NC 28630 Rev. John Chester Route 2, Box 303, Hudson, NC 28638
Crest View	Dr. Dale Larew Route 2, Box 211-A2, Hudson, NC 28638
Dudley Shoals	Rev. Ted Starnes Route 6, Box 1332, Hickory, NC 28601
Fellowship	Rev. Basil Carswell 557 Circle Drive, C-21-05, Hudson, NC 28638
Granite Falls FBC	Rev. Audley Frazier 2 Providence Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Harris Chapel	Rev. Jim Privette 127 Pleasant Hill Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Lakeview	Rev. Robert Brown 202 Floral Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Lenoir FBC	Rev. Fred D. Barnes 101 Piccadilly Lane, Lenoir, NC 28645 Rev. Edwin D. Price 418 Norwood Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645 Rev. David K. Rowan 1000 Bramblewood Court, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645 Rev. Phillip King 919 Plantation Drive, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645
Lower Creek	Rev. Lawrence Robertson 507 Kentwood Street, S.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
Meadowbrook	Rev. Don Loss 186 Wildwood Road, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645
Mulvale	Rev. Gene S. Clarke 5506 Beacon Hills, Lenoir, NC 28645
Rocky Springs	Rev. Tommy Coffey Star Route, Box 79, Lenoir, NC 28645
Temple Hill	Rev. John Austin Route 1, Box 490, Granite Falls, NC 28630 Rev. Fred Hicks Route 4, Box 5, Villawood, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Union Grove	Alan Beane Route 3, Box 185-A, Lenoir, NC 28645 Rev. Rex Brown Route 2, Box 347, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Yadkin	Rev. Gary James 103 Tranquil Hills, Lenoir, NC 28645

Retired Ordained Ministers

Central	Rev. J.H. Crisp 1037 Connelly Spgs. Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Clarks Chapel	Rev. Paul Wilson 325 Clarks Chapel Road, Lenoir, NC 28645

Clarks Chapel	Rev. McLendon H. Jamison Route 11, Box 410-J, Morganton, NC 28655
Concord	Rev. Bobby Hollar 66 Woodlane Street, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Crest View	Rev. Bernard Tuttle 112 Wayside Circle, Lenoir, NC 28645
Dry Ponds	Rev. Willard Jenkins Route 1, Box 225, Hudson, NC 28638
Dudley Shoals	Rev. Gordon Pope P. O. Box 689, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Friendship	Rev. Howard Barnes Route 2, Box 448-B, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Granite Falls FBC	Rev. Grant Miller P.O. Box 154, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Kings Creek	Rev. Ray Davis Route 1, Box 451, Lenoir, NC 28645
Lakeview	Rev. Grady Matheson 257 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Lenoir FBC	Rev. J.E. Ledbetter 1018 Ashe Avenue, N.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
Lower Creek	Rev. Frank Colburn 802 Pennell Street, N.E., Lenoir, NC 28645
Meadowbrook	Rev. Clifton A. Tuttle 124 Wayside Circle, N.W., Lenoir, NC 28645
Miller Hill	Rev. J.W. Crouse 110 Spencer Heights, Lenoir, NC 28645
Mountain View	Rev. A.J. Singley 268-D North Fairview Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
North Catawba	Rev. Walter Vaughan 419 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, NC 28645
Oak Grove	Rev. J.W. Myers Route 3, Box 350, Granite Falls, NC 28630
Piney Grove	Rev. Walter Dula Route 5, Box 218, Lenoir, NC 28645
Temple Hill	Rev. C.H. Kincaid C-18-6 Cedar Valley Road, Hudson, NC 28638
Union Grove	Rev. L.J. Culler 109 Parkwood Drive, Lenoir, NC 28645
Whitnel FBC	Rev. R.B. Burnett 168 Walt Arney Road, Lenoir, NC 28645

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION										YEAR ENDING Sept., 30, 1990	
Association										(Month & Day)	
Caldwell											
North Carolina											
Director of Associational Missions											
Rev. R. Dale Fisher											
Civ. Lenoir										State North Carolina Zip 28645	
P.O. Box 1555										PASTORS & ADDRESSES INCLUDE ZIP CODE	
Granite Falls First										Caldwell	
Robert B. Evans, Jr., 47 Creativest St., Granite Falls, 28630										Y 1975	
No Letter										1890	
Green Rock										Caldwell	
Green Valley										Caldwell	
Harris Chapel										Caldwell	
Harrisburg Dr., SW, Lenoir, NC 28645										Y 1980	
Ted A. Williams, 740 Harrisburg Dr., SW, Lenoir, NC 28645										Y 1979	
Hartland										Burke	
David L. Giffin, Rt. 7, Box 207, Morganton, NC 28655										Y 1979	
Douglas Cox, 1105 Applegate Court, Lenoir, NC 28645										Y 1974	
Hibriten										Caldwell	
Billy G. Rivers, 109 Optimist Ave., CB-59-2, Hudson, NC 28638										Y 1982	
Hudson First										Caldwell	
No Letter										1881	
Johns River										Caldwell	
Kings Creek										Caldwell	
Bob Lowman, Jr., Rt. 1, Box 444, Lenoir, NC 28645										Y 1989	
Lakesview										Caldwell	
W. Howard Hawkins, 2618 Hogan St., SW, Lenoir, NC 28645										Y 1978	
Lenoir First										Caldwell	
David B. Smith, P.O. Box 636, Lenoir, NC 28645										Y 1989	
Liberty										Caldwell	
No Letter										1889	
Livingston Memorial										Caldwell	
Joe Angler, Rt. 1, Box 305, Boomer, NC 28606										Y 1990	
Lovellady										Caldwell	
No Letter - Requested to be dropped from Association										1956	
Lower Creek										Caldwell	
Joel M. Sellers, 633 Lower Dr., NE, Lenoir, NC 28645										Y 1984	
Meadowbrook										Caldwell	
Gary Hayes, 810 Pennell St., Lenoir, NC 28645										Y 1990	
Miller Hill										Caldwell	
Garland Higgins, 122 Corolla Hills, Lenoir, NC 28645										Y 1990	
Mountain Grove										Caldwell	
Clifford Black, Rt. 2, Box 260, Granite Falls, NC 28630										Y 1986	
Mountain View										Caldwell	
J.B. Crouse, 2513 Central Dr., SE, Lenoir, NC 28645										Y 1990	
Mt. Carmel										Caldwell	
J.C. Dugger, 20 Dugger St., Granite Falls, NC 28630										Y 1981	
Mt. Zion										Caldwell	
Glenn Walker, Rt. 3, Box 345, Hudson, NC 28638										Y 1986	
Mulberry										Caldwell	
Bennett Helton, Rt. 3, Box 527, Hudson, NC 28638										Y 1982	
Naivale										Caldwell	
Paul E. White, Jr., Rt. 10, Box 409, Lenoir, NC 28645										Y 1987	
Nelsons Chapel										Caldwell	
John DeMauro, Rt. 8, Box A-214, Lenoir, NC 28645										Y 1986	
TOTALS										1995	
8538 - 1257 (Rev. 1-90)										1995	
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS										1994	

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TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL										YEAR ENDING Sept., 2019	
Association	State		City		Zip	Month & Day					
Calwell	North Carolina										
Associate Sunday School Director	Rev. Douglas Jordan										
Address	City	State	North Carolina	Zip							
633 Lower Creek Dr., NE	Lenoir			28645							
SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)											
CHURCHES											
Granite Falls First	Audley Frazier, 2 Providence St., Granite Falls, NC 28630										
Green Rock	No Letter										
Green Valley	Richard A. Coffey, Star Rt., Box 78, Collettsville, NC 28611										
Harris Chapel	Jack Jenkins, Rt. 2, Box 430-H, Granite Falls, NC 28630										
Harrisburg	Tom Watson, 205 Walt Arney Rd., Lenoir, NC 28645										
Hartland	Breathel Poarch, Rt. 7, Morganton, NC 28655										
Hibriten	Herman Mann, 1261 Oaklawn St., SE, Lenoir, NC 28645										
Hudson First	Thomas Land, Jr., 300 Emerald St., Hudson, NC 28638										
Johns River	No Letter										
Kings Creek	Miss Dare Teague, Rt. 1, Box 210, Boomer, NC 28606										
Lakeview	Cerald Hawkins, 518 Scroggys St., Lenoir, NC 28645										
Lenoir First	Robin Abbott, 99 Cedar Dr., Lenoir, NC 28645										
Liberty	No Letter										
Livingston Memorial	Mack Foustr, Rt. 1, Box 252, Boomer, NC 28606										
Lovelady	No Letter - Requested to be dropped from the Association										
Lower Creek	Ten Franks, Rt. 1, Box 478-P, Lenoir, NC 28645										
Meadbrook	Howard Moore, Rt. 10, Box 744, Lenoir, NC 28645										
Miller Hill	Camel Hook, Rt. 2, Box 546, Hudson, NC 28638										
Mountain Grove	Mrs. Judi Hyatt, P.O. Box 236, Hudson, NC 28638										
Mountain View	Douglas Clark, Rt. 10, Box 256, Lenoir, NC 28645										
Mt. Camel	Floyd Bumgarner, Rt. 3, Box 860, Hudson, NC 28638										
Mt. Zion	Auray Fall, P.O. Box 621, Hudson, NC 28638										
Mulberry	Gene Swanson, 321 Tranquil Hills, Lenoir, NC 28645										
Mulvale	Richard Melton, Rt. 10, Box 362, Lenoir, NC 28645										
Nelsons Chapel	Pete Bradshaw, P.O. Box 64, Patterson, NC 28661										
TOTALS											
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS											
BSSB - 1997 Rev. 1-90											

BSSA - 1297 (Rev. 1-90)

TABLE & WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION			YEAR ENDING _____ Sept. 30, _____ 1960 (Month & Day)																
Association _____ Caldwell																			
Date	North Carolina																		
	Mrs. Mary Suddreth																		
	Assoc. North Director																		
Address	449 Lacy Road	Granite Falls	State	North Carolina	Zip	28630													
CHURCHES																			
Granite Falls First	Mrs. Verna Brookshire, Rt. 5, Box 421, Granite Falls, NC 28630				1	1	1	0	1	0	4	16	8	11	0	15	1	0	51
Green Rock	No Letter																		
Green Valley	None Listed				0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	5
Harris Chapel	Elaine Tolbert, 27 Hidden Lakes, Granite Falls, NC 28630				0	1	0	0	0	1	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Harrisburg	None Listed				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Hartland	Shirley Side, Rt. 7, Morganton, NC 28655				1	1	1	0	1	0	4	7	6	3	0	12	3	0	31
Hibriten	Wanda Laws, 191 Huntington Dr., Hudson, NC 28638				0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	9	3	0	12
Hudson First	Mrs. Andrew Lindsay, Rt. 2, Box 384-E, Granite Falls, NC 28630				2	2	1	0	4	0	9	17	18	9	0	70	4	0	118
Johns River	No Letter																		
Kings Creek	Mrs. Virginia Barlow, Rt. J, Box 412-A, Lenoir, NC 28645				0	1	1	1	1	0	4	0	10	6	12	30	4	0	62
Lakeview	Mrs. Delores Hawkins, 518 Sercoys St., Lenoir, NC 28645				2	1	1	1	1	0	6	5	2	3	6	11	1	0	28
Lenoir First	Mrs. Hugh Wilson, P.O. Box 638, Lenoir, NC 28645				2	1	0	0	5	0	8	15	10	0	0	110	7	0	142
Liberty	No Letter																		
Livingston Memorial	Mrs. Joan Kirby, Rt. J, Box 242-Alt, Boomer, NC 28606				0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	0	8	3	0	14
Lowely	No Letter - Requested to be dropped from the Association																		
Lower Creek	Mrs. Alice Ayers, 825 Hawthorne Dr., NE, Lenoir, NC 28645				3	2	1	1	3	0	10	33	16	4	15	67	8	0	143
Meadowbrook	Lillian Turnure, 1415 Meadowlane Dr., Lenoir, NC 28645				1	1	1	1	1	0	5	13	15	13	0	45	1	0	87
Miller Hill	Sue Smith, 1214 Overlook Dr., SW, Lenoir, NC 28645				1	0	1	0	2	0	4	3	0	5	0	20	4	0	32
Mountain Grove	Mrs. Felecia Hamby, 102 Robbins Dr., Lenoir, NC 28645				1	1	1	1	1	0	5	20	30	10	40	15	5	0	120
Mountain View	Joan Crouse, 2513 Central Dr., SE, Lenoir, NC 28645				0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	4	0	9	1	0	14
Mt. Camel	Colene Hall, Rt. J, Box 221-EL, Hudson, NC 28638				0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	5	0	10	2	0	17
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Gene Davis, Rt. 2, Box 420-A, Hudson, NC 28638				1	1	1	2	1	0	6	25	30	12	12	33	10	0	122
Mulberry	None Listed				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mulvale	None Listed				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nelsons Chapel	Carmen Suddreth, Rt. B, Box 219, Lenoir, NC 28645				1	1	1	1	0	1	4	2	5	5	0	6	4	0	22
TOTALS																			
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS																			

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Baton	Lewis Aunas, Rt. 2, Box 466, Hudson, NC 28638	4	4	3	0	0	12	0	0	0	23		
Bethany	None Listed	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	7		
Blairs Fork	None Listed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Buffalo Cove	Greg Hawkins, Rt. 5, Box 432, Lenoir, NC 28645	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4		
Cajals Mountain	Tony Greer, 514 Union Grove Rd., Lenoir, NC 28645	1	8	5	0	0	15	0	0	0	29		
Calvary	None Listed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Cedar Rock	None Listed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Center Grove	Wayne Bangardner, Rt. 1, Box 488-A, Hudson, NC 28638	0	0	10	0	6	15	0	0	0	31		
Central	Dennis Sherrill, 1106 Springfield Ct., Lenoir, NC 28645	7	9	6	0	4	20	0	0	0	46		
Clarks Chapel	None Listed	1	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	9		
Clearview	None Listed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Clover	Earl Lingle, P.O. Box 24, Granite Falls, NC 28630	12	8	1	2	8	10	5	0	0	46		
College Avenue	Curtis Moore, 715 Pennell St., NE, Lenoir, NC 28645	4	4	4	0	0	24	0	4	0	40		
Concord	None Listed	8	10	0	0	12	20	0	15	9	74		
Conways Chapel	None Listed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Crest View	Leury Spears, 1990 Charlemont Ct., NE, Lenoir, NC 28645	5	3	0	0	7	32	2	0	0	49		
Dry Ponds	Tim Wilson, 70 Rocky Rd., Granite Falls, NC 28630	6	7	4	4	12	15	1	0	0	49		
Dudley Shoals	Richard Hackness, Rt. 13, Box 1075, Hickory, NC 28601	11	12	6	8	0	32	0	0	0	69		
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Fallowship	John McCarron, 575 Circle Dr., C-20-06, Hudson, NC 28638	3	3	0	0	0	18	16	0	0	40		
Flemings Chapel	Bob Amick, Rt. 11, Lenoir, NC 28645	3	4	4	4	0	12	0	0	0	27		
Friendship	Archie Miller, Rt. 4, Box 259, Granite Falls, NC 28630	4	5	8	0	0	17	35	20	0	89		
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Granite Falls First	Edgar Starnes, P.O. Box 425, Granite Falls, NC 28630		6	8	4	9	10	20	0	0	0	57				
Green Rock	No Letter															
Green Valley	None Listed		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Harris Chapel	David Houser, Rt. 4, Box 12, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	20				
Harrisburg	None Listed		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Hartland	Ed Eller, Rt. 6, Box 485, Lenoir, NC 28645		5	1	5	0	0	7	5	0	0	19				
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Johns River	No Letter															
Kings Creek	Kenneth Smith, 711 Lower Creek Dr., NE, Lenoir, NC 28645		4	6	5	3	0	15	0	0	0	33				
Lakeview	Lester Perry, 310 Cypress St., C-50-9, Hudson, NC 28638		1	1	1	1	4	8	0	0	0	16				
Lenoir First	Kim Hutchens, 1414 Linwood Pl., NW, Lenoir, NC 28645		6	10	5	0	0	55	5	0	0	81				
Liberty	No Letter															
Livingston Memorial	None Listed		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Lovelady	No Letter - Requested to be dropped from the Association															
Lower Creek	H.C. Ledbetter, 806 Pennell St., NE, Lenoir, NC 28645		19	10	0	0	0	13	27	0	0	69				
Meadowbrook	Jerry Greer, 202 Cactus Court, Lenoir, NC 28645		10	8	0	0	8	40	0	0	0	66				
Miller Hill	L.H. Nelson, 580 Circle Dr., C-20-5, Hudson, NC 28638		0	0	0	0	0	20	0	5	0	25				
Mountain Grove	Raymond Dollar, Rt. 2, Box 248-3, Granite Falls, NC 28630		15	10	10	0	4	8	3	2	0	52				
Mountain View	None Listed		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Mt. Carmel	None Listed		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Mt. Zion	Earl Woods, Rt. 3, Box 1500, Hudson, NC 28638		9	9	6	0	15	18	12	18	0	87				
Mulberry	None Listed		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Mulvale	None Listed		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Nelsons Chapel	None Listed		2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4				
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			PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS													

Table G—Total Receipts, Local Expenditures & Stewardship

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP YEAR ENDING Sept., 30, 1990 (Month & Day)																				
Association																				
Caldwell																				
State North Carolina																				
Associational Treasurer																				
Address Jack Spainhour																				
P.O. Box 177																				
CHURCHES																				
	City	Lenoir	State	North Carolina	Zip	28645	124	125	126	127	128	129	130	131	132	133	134	135		
TREASURER & ADDRESSES INCLUDES ZIP CODE																				
Baton	Miss Cheryl Greene, Rt. 2, Box 264, Granite Falls, NC 28630	97119	16884	114003	1502	115505	0	2900	4941	13539	52695							Total local expenditures		
Bethany	Roy Adkins, Boby Martin Rd., Lenoir, NC 28645	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	0	7400	0	200	0	0	200	0	7400		
Blairs Fork	Barbara Winebarger, 108 Hillwood Rd., Lenoir, NC 28645	29780	0	29780	0	29780	0	4816	4447	2744	38767							38767		
Buffalo Cove	Riley Watson, Rt. 5, Box 508, Lenoir, NC 28645	18657	3330	21987	296	22283	0	7950	3749	0	1405	9757	22861					22861		
Calahs Mountain	Joia Winters, 503 Fairway Acres, Lenoir, NC 28645	52000	1400	53400	0	53400	0	23900	0	5958	890	6900	37648					37648		
Calvary	Bobby James, P.O. Box 5606, Lenoir, NC 28645	138394	0	138394	10229	148623	0	21354	0	0	1813	57049	80216					80216		
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Louise Correll, Twin Meadow Acres, Lenoir, NC 28645	29088	2121	31209	0	31209	0	9880	0	3000	600	10500	23980					23980		
Center Grove	Mrs. Richard Keener, Rt. 3, Box 785, Hudson, NC 28638	133191	49998	183189	256	183445	0	37282	0	30705	7980	62395	138362					138362		
Central	Alan Craig, South Haven Park, Lenoir, NC 28645	195450	16311	211761	11255	223016	0	79003	0	78220	5490	35058	197771					197771		
Clarks Chapel	J.B. Angley, 104 Kaylor Dr., Lenoir, NC 28645	69236	4328	73564	0	73564	0	28390	0	5196	1850	0	35436					35436		
Clearview	None Listed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					0		
Clover	Mrs. Debbie Ward, Rt. 12, Box 315, Hickory, NC 28602	130982	31217	162229	1412	163641	0	49025	0	5363	5737	33138	93263					93263		
College Avenue	Vaughan Summerlin, P.O. Box 201, Lenoir, NC 28645	279936	36219	316185	9599	325784	0	111520	0	5052	44365	160937						160937		
Concord	Bryan Stames, Rt. 3, Box 657-4, Granite Falls, NC 28630	223225	45598	268823	3070	271893	10000	68170	0	14071	5366	29462	117069					117069		
Conways Chapel	Mrs. Becky Shaw, 113-D Spencer, Hts., Lenoir, NC 28645	19927	1744	21671	0	21671	0	5750	0	232	10604	16586						16586		
Crest View	Jake Watson, 807 Powell Rd., NE, Lenoir, NC 28645	102323	4757	107080	0	107080	0	43814	0	2460	4425	56381	107080					107080		
Dry Ponds	Mark Townsend, Rt. 2, Box 475-B, Hudson, NC 28638	114261	60258	174519	0	174519	0	30526	1100	80958	6133	22851	141568					141568		
Dudley Shoals	Herman Kizer, Rt. 1, Box 195, Granite Falls, NC 28630	251672	41892	293564	2384	295948	0	75683	0	10105	78275	164063						164063		
Edgemont	Virginia Pyyatte, Star Rt., Box 173-A, Lenoir, NC 28645	0	0	0	0	0	0	4200	0	0	186	0	4386					4386		
Fallowship	Mrs. Janice Powell, 257 Legion Rd., C-44-07, Hudson, NC 28638	107562	12070	119632	942	120574	49500	35178	0	20475	2780	44278	102711					102711		
Flemings Chapel	Mrs. Hilda Houck, P.O. Box 9, Lenoir, NC 28645	81388	42987	124375	0	124375	0	23522	0	45450	4697	28880	102549					102549		
Friendship	Mrs. Jennifer Greene, 922 Hawthorne Dr., Lenoir, NC 28645	158888	262281	421169	0	421169	425000	39641	386000	101000	5559	20651	552851					552851		
Globe	No Letter																			
Grandin	Mrs. Wilma Bowlin, 214 Whitnel Place, Lenoir, NC 28645	16321	330	16651	0	16651	0	7540	0	0	392	2965	10897					10897		
Grandview Park	Mrs. Betty Johnson, 117 Melview St., Lenoir, NC 28645	26000	1000	27000	900	27900	0	9024	0	0	275	8400	17699					17699		
TOTALS																				
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS																				
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TABLE 6 TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP		YEAR ENDING SEPT., 30, 1990		(Month & Day)										
Association	Caldwell													
State														
North Carolina														
Associational Treasurer	Jack Spainhour													
Address	City	State	North Carolina	Zip	28645									
P.O. Box 177	Lenoir	TREASURER & ADDRESSES (INCLUDES ZIP CODE)												
CHURCHES														
Granite Falls First	Miss Jean Milstead, 46 Crestview St., Granite Falls, NC 28630	223638	30300	253938	5998	259936	0	81544	0	81544	0	7500	42000	131044
Green Rock	No Letter													
Green Valley	Heleen Philyaw, Star Rt., Box 84, Collettsville, NC 28611	6759	2627	9386	820	10206	0	3355	0	3355	0	423	2565	6343
Harris Chapel	Wayne Prestwood, Rt. 2, Box 394, Hudson, NC 28638	232474	30950	263424	11268	274692	0	82576	0	82576	0	3819	36984	133379
Harrisburg	Mrs. Frances Price, 708 Lynhaven St., SW, Lenoir, NC 28645	44145	10257	54402	0	54402	0	28672	0	28672	0	1016	13516	423204
Hartland	Betty Rose Miller, Rt. 7, Box 214, Morganton, NC 28655	76455	9732	86187	0	86187	0	21465	22492	21465	0	4361	33815	82133
Hibriten	Mrs. Jean Mann, 1261 Oaklawn St., SE, Lenoir, NC 28645	110341	385	110726	1158	111884	0	41508	0	41508	0	13231	39518	95863
Hudson First	Douglas Annas, 109 Dove St., Lenoir, NC 28645	331929	70996	402925	733	403658	105000	162873	0	162873	0	18897	219360	410048
Johns River	No Letter													
Kings Creek	Mrs. Sue Laws, Rt. 1, Box 395, Lenoir, NC 28645	101365	24671	126036	2120	128156	0	37982	0	37982	0	4907	53829	96718
Lakeview	Mrs. Diane Farthing, 420 Spruce St., SW, Lenoir, NC 28645	59880	6504	66384	0	66384	0	30997	0	30997	0	8027	2559	5214
Lenoir First	Jack B. Spainhour, P.O. Box 177, Lenoir, NC 28645	319878	71386	391264	61428	452692	0	163065	0	163065	0	5426	18532	353823
Liberty	No Letter													
Livingston Memorial	Mrs. Janet Walker, Rt. 1, Box 258, Boomer, NC 28606	25970	1193	27463	0	27463	0	10185	0	10185	0	1994	477	4891
Lovelady	No Letter - Requested to be dropped from the Association													
Lower Creek	Lawrence Hayes, 932 Hibriten Dr., SE, Lenoir, NC 28645	378834	78137	456971	6280	463251	0	160446	0	160446	0	12000	135025	307671
Meadowbrook	Linda Proffitt, 211 Hampton Hts., Lenoir, NC 28645	143694	75507	219201	0	219201	0	27768	0	27768	0	382099	3492	23888
Miller Hill	Sue Smith, 1214 Overlook Dr., SW, Lenoir, NC 28645	79845	17090	96935	367	97302	0	33774	0	33774	0	2975	55732	92481
Mountain Grove	Ralph Johnson, 112 Shannon Dr., Lenoir, NC 28645	329533	84545	414078	0	414078	400000	86462	16438	86462	16438	68107	7373	231706
Mountain View	Douglas Clark, Rt. 10, Box 256, Lenoir, NC 28645	9573	717	10290	0	10290	0	3106	0	3106	0	440	2958	6504
Mt. Carmel	Mrs. Tula Bumgarner, Rt. 3, Box 1142, Hudson, NC 28638	12415	891	13306	0	13306	0	6280	0	6280	0	704	1154	8138
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Dought Miller, Rt. 2, Box 273, Hudson, NC 28638	249432	110846	360278	2436	362714	0	112549	0	112549	0	62284	19859	92685
Milberry	Collene G. Triplett, Rt. 10, Box 750, Lenoir, NC 28645	57432	4140	61572	391	61963	0	13000	18017	13000	18017	0	775	24980
Mulvale	Mrs. Mary Clarke, 5506 Beacon Hills, Lenoir, NC 28645	52237	12233	64470	3392	67862	45000	14280	67468	14280	67468	7958	1202	11232
Nelsons Chapel	Bucky Grunne, Rt. 5, Box 758, Lenoir, NC 28645	25640	3597	29237	0	29237	0	12070	0	12070	0	830	4962	17862
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TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL										YEAR ENDING Sept., 30,		1990									
Association		Caldwell		(Month & Day)																	
Site North Carolina																					
Associational Sunday School Director																					
Rev. Douglas Jordan																					
City Lenoir		State North Carolina		Zip 28645																	
Address 633 Lower Creek Dr., NE																					
SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES INCLUDE ZIP CODE																					
CHURCHES																					
New Life	No Letter																				
North Catawba	Mrs. April Welch, Rt. 3, Box 287-A, Lenoir, NC 28645	0	33	35	26	23	18	45	24	0	18	7	0	229	129	0	Y	0	168	0	0
Oak Grove	Daniel R. Reid, Rt. 3, Box 319, Granite Falls, NC 28630	0	16	27	8	9	18	20	29	0	0	3	0	130	85	0	N	0	99	1	0
Open Door Mission	Name Listed	0	0	0	0	0	2	7	3	0	0	0	0	12	12	0	Y	0	0	0	0
Piney Grove	James Winkler, Rt. 5, Box 268, Lenoir, NC 28645	3	4	18	12	16	12	20	19	2	9	4	0	119	77	0	N	0	56	0	0
Pisgah	No Letter																				
Pooreys Chapel	Mickey Banton, 300 Sunset Ave., Hudson, NC 28638	8	10	19	13	0	28	27	47	0	0	3	0	155	104	0	N	0	65	0	0
Pooreys Grove	Oscar Mize, Box 462, Mize Rd., Granite Falls, NC 28630	0	20	29	17	6	19	38	28	6	6	4	0	173	92	0	Y	0	72	0	0
Rhodiss First	John Coffey, 8 Chestnut St., Granite Falls, NC 28630	0	23	19	29	9	37	33	15	0	0	3	0	168	108	0	Y	0	120	0	0
Rocky Springs	James Hayes, Rt. 7, Box 352, Lenoir, NC 28645	0	14	10	15	2	5	12	18	0	0	4	0	80	53	0	N	0	75	0	0
Rutus	Elmer Quinn, 110-A Plymouth Rd., Lenoir, NC 28645	2	0	1	2	3	2	8	10	0	0	0	0	28	16	0	N	0	0	0	0
Setzers Creek	Paul Ruppard, Rt. 5, Box 725, Lenoir, NC 28645	0	21	29	15	8	36	34	24	0	4	6	0	177	100	0	Y	0	109	0	0
Sunrise	Burl Smith, Rt. 3, Hudson, NC 28638	0	15	35	51	7	40	64	57	0	0	4	0	273	146	0	Y	0	0	0	0
Temple Hill	Rennie Childress, Rt. 1, Box 478, Granite Falls, NC 28630	5	8	37	22	13	32	37	42	0	0	5	0	201	135	0	N	0	127	16	3
Union	Kyle Reid, Rt. 2, Box 308, Lenoir, NC 28645	0	9	17	21	18	21	46	11	0	0	3	0	146	80	0	Y	0	62	0	0
Union Grove	Marshall Bean, 316 Union Grove Rd., Lenoir, NC 28645	0	32	45	20	24	31	58	56	0	0	8	0	274	165	0	Y	0	208	0	1
West Lenoir	Joe Cook, 922 Pinecrest Pl., NE, Lenoir, NC 28645	0	41	30	52	26	27	128	80	0	0	8	0	392	270	0	N	0	144	0	0
Whitnel First	Jerry Atwood, 202 Magnolia St., Hudson, NC 28638	0	39	46	28	18	49	91	94	0	4	12	0	381	215	0	Y	2	186	34	0
Yadkin	Mrs. Robin Hall, 24 Hidden Lake Dr., Granite Falls, NC 28630	0	32	30	45	23	31	111	39	1	13	5	0	330	180	0	Y	0	103	0	36
Yadkin Valley	Dennis Watson, Rt. 5, Box 153, Lenoir, NC 28645	0	0	20	11	11	10	37	0	0	0	0	0	89	56	0	N	0	70	0	0
Zacks Fork	Roger Baldwin, P.O. Box 1048, Lenoir, NC 28645	5	10	15	18	12	12	36	23	0	0	5	0	136	110	0	Y	0	142	0	0

Table C—Church Training

TABLE C DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING															
Association	YEAR ENDING		Sept. 30, 1990												
			Month & Day												
	State	North Carolina	Rev. Jack Sprinkle	State	Zip										
	Association Church Training Director														
CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESS (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)															
CHURCHES	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	
	Preschool enrollment (5 years and under - not in school)	Children enrollment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Adult enrollment (18 and over)	General officers enrollment	New Church Member Training	Baptist Doctrine Study	Discipline and Discipline	Equipping Center	LIFE	Leader Training and other Discipleship Training	Enrollment of missions(s) of church	Total Discipleship Training enrollment/participation	Average weekly Discipleship Training attendance	
Baton	1	6	11	40	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	62	39	
Bethany	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Blairs Fork	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Buffalo Cove	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	0	22	20	
Cajahs Mountain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Calvary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Cedar Rock	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Center Grove	0	17	8	27	7	0	0	1	0	0	28	0	88	43	
Central	1	8	7	20	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41	25	
Clarks Chapel	6	11	6	38	3	6	30	4	10	0	3	30	147	38	
Cleaview	23	75	65	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	166	145	
Clover	13	27	17	45	3	0	78	0	0	0	10	0	193	77	
College Avenue	3	8	12	46	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	77	40	
Concord	9	26	36	60	3	0	0	6	7	0	6	0	153	72	
Conways Chapel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Crest View	7	25	86	107	7	10	0	0	107	0	12	0	361	62	
Dry Ponds	16	20	19	42	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	106	60	
Dudley Shoals	27	36	33	111	9	2	0	0	30	0	0	0	248	119	
Edgemont	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Fellowship	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Flettings Chapel	3	27	15	18	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65	30	
Friendship	33	35	28	90	2	0	0	7	0	0	16	0	211	94	
Globe															
Grandin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Grandview Park	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
TOTALS															
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS															
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TABLE C DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING															
Association			YEAR ENDING		Sept. 30,		1990								
Caldwell			(Month & Day)												
State															
North Carolina															
Associational Church Training Director															
Rev. Jack Sprinkle															
City															
State															
Zip															
28645															
CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)															
CHURCHES															
Granite Falls First	None Listed	4	9	40	15	3	5	20	30	6	0	32	0	164	42
Green Rock	No Letter														
Green Valley	None Listed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Harris Chapel	Michael Smith, Rt. 2, Box 559-A, Hudson, NC 28638	16	25	15	55	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	116	117
Harrisburg	None Listed	0	0	17	26	2	4	0	0	0	0	12	0	61	0
Hartland	Dorothy Cline, Rt. 6, Box 572, Lenoir, NC 28645	0	6	11	28	3	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	68	22
Hibriten	None Listed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson First	Neal Triplett, P.O. Box 2488, Lenoir, NC 28645	2	14	30	66	5	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	122	83
Johns River	No Letter														
Kings Creek	Mrs. Mary Kirby, Rt. 1, Box 477-E, Lenoir, NC 28645	4	4	12	12	3	14	0	14	25	0	0	0	88	30
Lakeview	Robert Brown, 202 Floral Dr., Lenoir, NC 28645	13	0	8	40	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	64	32
Lenoir First	None Listed	0	10	12	0	2	0	0	20	0	0	2	0	46	15
Liberty	No Letter														
Livingston Memorial	None Listed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lovelady	No Letter - Requested to be dropped from the Association														
Lower Creek	Reggie Probst, 114 Eastwood Park Dr., Lenoir, NC 28645	28	29	0	42	3	0	12	42	51	9	45	0	261	69
Meadowbrook	Jerry Beason, Rt. 2, Box 501-CI, Hudson, NC 28638	21	24	25	40	7	0	0	40	11	0	13	0	181	86
Miller Hill	L.H. Nelson, 580 Circle Dr., C-20-5, Hudson, NC 28638	0	0	6	8	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	34	0
Mountain Grove	Michael Robbins, Rt. 2, Box 309, Granite Falls, NC 28630	20	27	28	103	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	190	75
Mountain View	None Listed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Carmel	None Listed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Zion	Floyd Annas, P.O. Drawer 620, Granite Falls, NC 28630	22	30	44	83	3	19	0	26	52	27	15	0	321	71
Mulberry	None Listed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mulvale	None Listed	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	0	0	30	26
Nelsons Chapel	None Listed	0	0	0	14	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	8
TOTALS															
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PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS															

Table D—Music Ministry

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY										YEAR ENDING	Sept.- 30, ____ 19__										
Association Caldwell										(Month & Day)											
Site North Carolina																					
Associational Music Director Rev. Brooks Walker																					
Address Route 3, Box 307										City Lenoir	State North Carolina	Zip 28645									
CHURCHES										MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)											
Baton	Mrs. Martha Annas, Rt. 2, Box 466, Hudson, NC 28638									3	6	6	0	30	0	8	0	0	0	56	Total ongoing Music Ministry enrollment
Bethany	None Listed									0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Blairs Fork	Jude Osborne, Rt. 10, Box 664, Lenoir, NC 28645									0	5	4	4	9	0	0	0	1	0	23	
Buffalo Cove	Mrs. Darlene Townsend, Rt. 5, Box 421, Lenoir, NC 28645									0	0	0	0	17	0	0	0	5	0	22	
Cajahs Mountain	Sylvia Calloway, Rt. 2, Box 563, Hudson, NC 28638									0	0	0	0	25	0	3	3	2	0	33	
Calvary	Bobby James, P.O. Box 5606, Lenoir, NC 28645									6	4	4	12	45	0	0	8	0	79		
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Lynn Whisnant									0	0	3	3	21	0	0	2	0	29		
Center Grove	Mrs. Enolan Benefield, 26 3rd. Avenue, NE, Hickory, NC 28601									4	6	0	0	22	0	0	4	0	36		
Central	Edgar Lineberger, 1052-2 Cedar Hills Court, Lenoir, NC 28645									10	12	7	4	35	0	8	3	3	82		
Clarks Chapel	L. Parks Underdonk, 1348 Fairview Dr., Lenoir, NC 28645									0	0	0	5	30	0	6	2	3	0	46	
Cleaview	Floyd Games, 125 Mayfield Rd., Lenoir, NC 28645									0	6	8	18	35	0	4	3	2	0	76	
Clover	Mrs. Sheila Klutz, P.O. Box 408, Granite Falls, NC 28630									3	9	7	7	32	0	5	0	6	0	69	
College Avenue	Mrs. Gale Little, Rt. 1, Box 404-E, Lenoir, NC 28645									5	6	14	20	45	17	12	0	12	0	131	
Concord	Terry Cruise, 8 Meandering Way, Granite Falls, NC 28630									11	18	12	27	49	0	17	9	9	0	152	
Convays Chapel	Richard Deal, Rt. 7, Box 244, Morganton, NC 28655									0	1	2	6	16	0	4	0	2	0	31	
Crest View	Steve Robbins, Rt. 5, Box 512, Lenoir, NC 28645									7	5	12	26	31	0	10	2	10	0	103	
Dry Ponds	Stanley Edwards, 2810 Dry Ponds Rd., Granite Falls, NC 28630									5	10	4	18	24	0	4	0	7	0	72	
Dudley Shoals	Trina Ferrell, 703 Dudley Shoals Rd., Granite Falls, NC 28630									15	10	12	15	35	0	10	0	5	0	102	
Edgemont	None Listed									0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Fellowship	Mrs. Jo Suttles, 163 Cahjah Wm. Rd., C-31-3, Hudson, NC 28638									3	2	0	0	20	0	0	0	2	0	27	
Flemings Chapel	Gary Grogg, 102 Corolla Hills, Lenoir, NC 28645									3	4	5	10	30	0	4	3	3	0	62	
Friendship	Reggie Greene, Rt. 2, Box 339-A, Granite Falls, NC 28630									8	10	12	18	45	0	0	0	6	0	99	
Globe	No Letter																				
Grandin	Mrs. Lemnis Eller, Rt. 1, Box 551, Lenoir, NC 28645									0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Grandview Park	James M. Triplett, 107 Melview St., Lenoir, NC 28645									0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	2	0	17	
TOTALS																					
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS																					

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY			YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1990 (Month & Day)																			
Association Caldwell																						
Site North Carolina																						
Associational Music Director Rev. Brooks Walker																						
Address			City Lenoir		State North Carolina		Zip 28645															
Route 3, Box 307																						
CHURCHES																						
Granite Falls First	Mrs. Pam Johnston, Rt. 5, Box 1310, Hickory, NC 28601		5	10	10	38	40	12	4	1	4	0	124	40								
Green Rock	No Letter																					
Green Valley	Richard A. Coffey, Star Rt., Box 78, Collettsville, NC 28611		2	4	2	3	6	0	0	0	3	0	20	0								
Harris Chapel	Clyde Murray, Rt. 2, Box 393, Hudson, NC 28638		4	12	25	18	35	0	16	0	8	0	118	75								
Harrisburg	Ronald Burgett, 2304 Maywood St., Lenoir, NC 28645		0	0	0	8	20	0	6	4	3	0	41	28								
Hartland	Barry G. Weck, Rt. 6, Box 392, Lenoir, NC 28645		0	0	0	0	25	0	3	2	2	0	32	20								
Hibernian	Russell Dula, 704-B Taylorsville Rd., SE, Lenoir, NC 28645		0	0	0	0	45	0	18	0	4	0	67	35								
Hudson First	Don Almond, Rt. 1, Box 221-E, Hudson, NC 28638		0	18	13	19	43	13	9	0	10	0	125	80								
Johns River	No Letter																					
Kings Creek	Mrs. Karla Lowman, Rt. 1, Box 444, Lenoir, NC 28645		9	6	4	10	25	0	6	0	6	0	66	40								
Lakeview	None Listed		1	0	0	2	20	0	3	1	3	0	30	10								
Lenoir First	Thomas Hinton, 504 Pennell St., NE, Lenoir, NC 28645		14	15	17	0	38	12	6	4	8	0	114	93								
Liberty	No Letter																					
Livingston Memorial	Mack Foust, Rt. 1, Box 252, Boomer, NC 28606		0	2	3	2	5	0	0	0	2	0	14	12								
Lovely	No Letter - Requested to be dropped from the Association																					
Lower Creek	Gilbert Blackburn, 236 Tremont Park Dr., SE, Lenoir, NC 28645		15	28	19	20	44	0	11	0	5	0	142	110								
Meadowbrook	Wayne Andrews, Rt. 1, Box 1359, Boomer, NC 28608		10	10	5	0	30	0	3	3	3	0	64	50								
Miller Hill	Bill Triplett, 105 S. Englewood, Lenoir, NC 28645		0	0	0	0	23	0	13	6	3	0	45	19								
Mountain Grove	Randy McCall, Rt. 2, Box 263-A, Granite Falls, NC 28630		12	13	14	0	45	0	0	0	3	0	87	25								
Mountain View	Douglas Clark, Rt. 10, Box 256, Lenoir, NC 28645		0	0	2	5	0	0	0	0	3	0	10	4								
Mt. Carmel	Floyd Bumgarner, Rt. 3, Box 860, Hudson, NC 28638		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0								
Mt. Zion	Steve Cruise, Rt. 3, Box 258, Hudson, NC 28638		18	16	18	24	40	0	14	0	10	0	140	92								
Milberry	Charles Thompson, Rt. 8, Box 215-A, Lenoir, NC 28645		4	2	0	25	10	0	4	5	3	0	53	35								
Milvale	Mrs. Diane K. Hoyle, P.O. Box 74, Collettsville, NC 28611		0	0	0	2	28	0	4	0	3	0	37	16								
Nelsons Chapel	Mrs. Carmen Sudbretth, Rt. 8, Box 219, Lenoir, NC 28645		0	0	0	5	9	0	0	0	4	0	18	18								
TOTALS																						
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS																						

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY						YEAR ENDING Sept., 30, _____ (Month & Day)																		
Association Coldwell		State North Carolina		City Lenoir		State North Carolina		Zip 28645																
Rev. Brooks Walker		Lenoir		State North Carolina		Zip 28645																		
Address Route 3, Box 307		Lenoir		State North Carolina		Zip 28645																		
CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)									Preschool enrollment	87	88 (6-9 years) Younger children's enrollment	89 (10-11 years) Older children's enrollment	90 (12-17 years) Youth enrollment	91 (18 and over) Adult enrollment	92 Handbell/fingers enrollment	93 Vocal ensembles enrollment	94 Instrumental ensembles enrollment	95 General music leaders enrollment	96 Enrollment of Missions) of church	97 Total ongoing Music Ministry enrollment	98 Average weekly Music Ministry attendance		
New Life	No Letter																							
North Catawba	Brooks Walker, Rt. 3, Box 307, Lenoir, NC 28645									2	10	23	15	41	16	15	12	9	0	143	93			
Oak Grove	James O. Wall, Jr., 2 Starnes St., Granite Falls, NC 28630									2	3	4	2	24	0	0	0	6	0	41	20			
Open Door Mission	None Listed									0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Piney Grove	Roger Dula, Rt. 5, Box 242, Lenoir, NC 28645									0	0	0	3	18	0	0	0	4	0	25	15			
Pisgah	No Letter																							
Roanoke Chapel	Rebecca Cole, Rt. 1, Box 340-A, Hudson, NC 28638									2	5	9	7	26	0	10	6	6	0	71	54			
Rooveys Grove	None Listed									0	3	0	0	25	0	3	0	3	0	34	20			
Rhodiss First	Harold Joplin, Helton Circle Dr., Box 2, Granite Falls, 28630									4	4	12	12	30	0	10	0	6	0	78	55			
Rocky Springs	Mike Moore, 352 Calico Rd., Lenoir, NC 28645									2	0	0	5	12	0	0	0	3	0	22	15			
Rufus	Mrs. Ann Guinn, 110-A Plymouth Rd., Lenoir, NC 28645									0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Setzers Creek	Edgar Haas, Rt. 1, Box 142, Hudson, NC 28638									0	4	4	10	40	0	0	0	5	5	68	35			
Sunrise	Bill Shores, 505 Lincoln Lane, Lenoir, NC 28645									0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Temple Hill	Jason Guyer, Rt. 1, Box 497, Granite Falls, NC 28630									0	0	5	6	45	0	10	5	2	0	73	40			
Union	Rodney Smith, 2310 Central Dr., SW, Lenoir, NC 28645									0	0	4	8	24	0	0	0	6	0	42	20			
Union Grove	Mrs. Carolyn Efrid, 246 Union Grove Rd., Lenoir, NC 28645									15	10	15	19	39	0	8	0	7	0	113	56			
West Lenoir	Curtis Harrington, 207 Fairview Dr., SW, Lenoir, NC 28645									10	8	8	5	70	0	23	3	5	0	132	65			
Whitford First	Marshall Johnson, Rt. 2, Box 307-F, Granite Falls, NC 28630									0	0	0	0	55	0	0	0	5	0	60	30			
Yadkin	Sherrill German, P.O. Box 254, Patterson, NC 28661									0	7	7	20	20	11	8	0	4	0	77	55			
Yadkin Valley	Edward Cheek, Rt. 10, Box 621, Lenoir, NC 28645									0	0	0	2	20	0	12	3	5	0	42	15			
Zacks Fork	Mrs. Brenda Borders, P.O. Box 1048, Lenoir, NC 28645									3	9	3	10	43	0	12	0	4	0	84	68			

Table E—Woman's Missionary Union

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION		YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1960		Month & Day	
Association	Calwell				
State	North Carolina				
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Table H—Mission Expenditures

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES						YEAR ENDING	SEPT., 30,	1990
Association						(Month & Day)		
State								
North Carolina								
Associational Clerk								
Address	City	Hudson	State	Zip				
Route 1, Box 58			North Carolina	28638				
CHURCHES								
Baton	Mrs. Kathryn Cloer, 239 Cahaj Mtn. Rd., Hudson, NC 28638							
Bethany	Mrs. Pat Keen, Route 8, Lenoir, NC 28645							
Blairs Fork	Patsy White, 1225 Old North Rd., Lenoir, NC 28645							
Buffalo Cove	Mrs. Lena P. Bamburger, Rt. 5, Box 422, Lenoir, NC 28645							
Cajah Mountain	Gail Kirby, Rt. 2, Box 15, Kaylor Dr., Granite Falls 28630							
Calvary	Mrs. Janie Penley, 6527 Fairway Acres, Lenoir, NC 28645							
Cedar Rock	Mrs. Mitzi Bivens, Rt. 1, Box 477-H, Lenoir, NC 28645							
Center Grove	Mrs. Melvin Laill, Rt. 1, Box 480, Hudson, NC 28638							
Central	Sherry Davis, 107 Prairie Ct., Lenoir, NC 28645							
Clarks Chapel	Miss Toye Clark, Rt. 3, Box 32, Lenoir, NC 28645							
Cleaview	Alice Clarke, Rt. 2, Box 453, Hudson, NC 28638							
Clover	Miss Carole Church, 39 Forest Ave., Granite Falls, NC 28630							
College Avenue	Mrs. Janet Branch, 200 Blue Ridge Lane, Lenoir, NC 28645							
Concord	Mrs. Pam Graham, 10 Quarry Rd., Apt. 27, Granite Falls, 28630							
Conways Chapel	Mrs. Becky Shaw, 118-D Spencer Hts., Lenoir, NC 28645							
Crest View	Mrs. Cynthia Alley, Rt. 5, Box 34AA, Lenoir, NC 28645							
Dry Ponds	Linda Edwards, P.O. Box 30, Hudson, NC 28638							
Dudley Shoals	Linda K. Story, 2932 Countryside Dr., Granite Falls, NC 28630							
Edgemont	Dewayne Pyatte, Star Rt., Box 173A, Lenoir, NC 28645							
Fellowship	Mrs. Kathryn Bean, 219 Olde Farm Rd., Hudson, NC 28638							
Flemings Chapel	Mrs. Olivia Haynes, P.O. Box 2151, Lenoir, NC 28645							
Friendship	Deborah Meitbo, 107 Magnolia Lane, Hudson, NC 28638							
Globe	No Letter							
Grandin	Rebecca Ann Greer, Rt. 1, Box 574-A, Lenoir, NC 28645							
Granview Park	Mrs. Anayelis Hall, 210 Galico Rd., Lenoir, NC 28645							
TOTALS								
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS								
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TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES		YEAR ENDING		Sept., 30,		1990													
Association		Caldwell		(Month & Day)															
State		North Carolina																	
Associational Clerk		Ann Hatton																	
Address		Route 1, Box 58		City		State		North Carolina		Zip		28638							
CHURCHES																			
CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDES ZIP CODE)																			
Granite Falls First	Mrs. Henrietta Sullivan, P.O. Box 475, Hudson, NC 28638																		
Green Rock	No Letter																		
Green Valley	Marie Kirby, Start Rt., Box 79-A, Lenoir, NC 28645																		
Harris Chapel	Rosanne Anas, Rt. 2, Box 466A, Hudson, NC 28638																		
Harrisburg	Mrs. Frances Price, 708 Lynhaven St., SW, Lenoir, NC 28645																		
Hartland	Genise Mock, Rt. 6, Box 392, Lenoir, NC 28645																		
Hibriten	Mrs. Novella Benfield, 166 Walker Cir., Lenoir, NC 28645																		
Hudson First	Mrs. H.S. Benfield, Jr., P.O. Box 165, Hudson, NC 28638																		
Johns River	No Letter																		
Kings Creek	Mrs. Ruby Icenbour, Rt. 1, Box 450-B, Lenoir, NC 28645																		
Lakeview	Mrs. Malinda Perry, 310 Cypress St., C-50-9, Hudson, NC 28638																		
Lenoir First	Mrs. Floyd Colvard, 102 Afton Dr., Lenoir, NC 28645																		
Liberty	No Letter																		
Livingston Memorial	Mrs. Pearlaine Hatton, Rt. 1, Box 220, Boomer, NC 28606																		
Lovely	No Letter- Requested to be dropped from the Association																		
Lower Creek	Mrs. Marjorie Conley, 925 Hawthorne Dr., NE, Lenoir, NC 28645																		
Meadowbrook	Mary Lib Presnell, P.O. Box 187, Lenoir, NC 28645																		
Miller Hill	Bea Pope, 512 Wentworth Cir., NW, Lenoir, NC 28645																		
Mountain Grove	Mrs. Linda Church, 251 Legion Rd., CB-43-4, Hudson, NC 28638																		
Mountain View	Jennifer Correy, Rt. 10, Box 239-D, Lenoir, NC 28645																		
Mt. Carmel	Mrs. Wanda Bangarner, Rt. 3, Box 860, Hudson, NC 28638																		
Mt. Zion	Miss Shellia Fox, Rt. 2, Box 466K, Granite Falls, NC 28630																		
Mulberry	Collene G. Triplett, Rt. 10, Box 750, Lenoir, NC 28645																		
Mulvale	Mrs. Nina Pritchard, Rt. 7, Box 234, Lenoir, NC 28645																		
Nelsons Chapel	Deborah K. Greer, Rt. 7, Box 282-B, Lenoir, NC 28645																		
TOTALS																			
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS																			

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES		YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, _____		1990	
Association		(Month & Day)			
Caldwell					
Site	North Carolina				
Associational Clerk	Ann Hatton				
Address	Route 1, Box 58	City	Hudson	State	North Carolina
					Zip 28638
CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES INCLUDES ZIP CODE					
CHURCHES					
New Life	No Letter				
North Catawba	Mrs. Merle Chapman, Rt. 3, Box 342, Lenoir, NC 28645				
Oak Grove	Ray Reid, Rt. 3, Box 317, Granite Falls, NC 28630				
Open Door Mission	Gene Townsend, P.O. Box 464, Lenoir, NC 28645				
Piney Grove	Mrs. Lorraine Minton, Rt. 5, Box 284, Lenoir, NC 28645				
Pisgah	No Letter				
Pooveys Chapel	Corinne Hatley, Rt. 1, Box 316, Hudson, NC 28638				
Pooveys Grove	Larry Annas, 49 20th Ave., NW, Hickory, NC 28601				
Rhodniss First	Sheila Laneey, 10 Vale St., Granite Falls, NC 28630				
Rocky Springs	Mrs. Gloria Hayes, Rt. 7, Box 349, Lenoir, NC 28645				
Rufus	James Bradshaw, Rt. 8, Box 377, Lenoir, NC 28645				
Setzers Creek	Dorothy Ruppard, Rt. 5, Box 725, Lenoir, NC 28645				
Sunrise	Irone Harris, Rt. 4, Box 313, Granite Falls, NC 28630				
Temple Hall	Bernice Marley, 1317 Forest Hills Park, Lenoir, NC 28645				
Union	Shirley C. Theaters, Rt. 2, Box 318, Lenoir, NC 28645				
Union Grove	Mrs. L.J. Ford, Rt. 1, Box 345-A, Hudson, NC 28638				
West Lenoir	Mrs. Betty Holman, 489 Pinhurst Acres, Lenoir, NC 28645				
Whitnel First	Mrs. Judy Helton, P.O. Box 825, Hudson, NC 28638				
Yadkin	Janice Consee, 2146 Woodwood Dr., Lenoir, NC 28645				
Yadkin Valley	Bertha Greene, Rt. 8, Box 108, Lenoir, NC 28645				
Zacks Fork	Bruce Lovins, P.O. Box 1048, Lenoir, NC 28645				
OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES					
Grand Total					
1646862					

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Table 1—Special Information

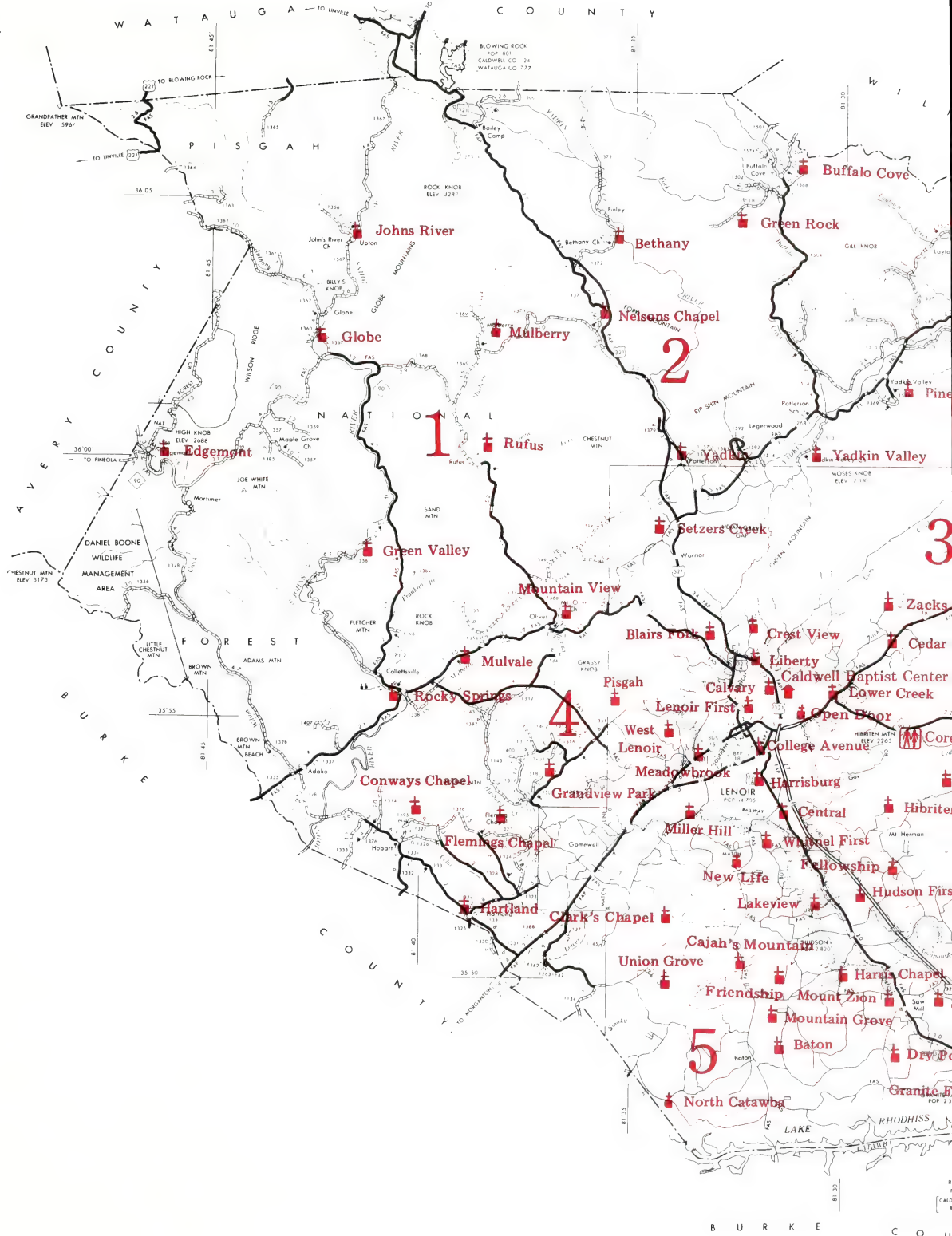
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